

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday- Vigil: Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM (IC) Tony Frost

5:30 PM (SJ) Fr. Aaron DuBois

Sunday- Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM (IC) For the People

10:00 AM (IC) Irving Weber

Monday- Weekday

8:30 AM FRH

Tuesday- Weekday

8:00 AM (SJ) Ralph Weber

Wednesday- Weekday

7:45 AM (IC) Jacob, Laura and Mardell Schmitz

Thursday- Weekday

8:00 AM (SJ) Robert E. Schmitz

Friday- Weekday

7:45 AM (IC) David McBride

Saturday- Vigil: Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM (IC) Ed and Delphine Delagardelle

5:30 PM (SJ) Germain Decker

Sunday- Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM (IC) For the People

10:00 AM (IC) Cy and Edna Huber family

(IC) Immaculate Conception (SJ) St. Joseph (FRH) Fr. Reuter's House



Prayer. All day, every day. All night, every night. It takes many adorers for the Perpetual Adoration Chapel, located at Columbus HS, to remain open for all. Drop-ins, substitutes and regular adorers are all needed. Consider a 6 month commitment.

Specific needs at this time are Fridays at 3 am and 8 pm, and Sundays once a month at 1 am.

Email cvadoration@gmail.com or call Mike Strei at [801-920-9130](tel:801-920-9130)

Preparation Class for Baptism will be **Sunday, July 29** 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.

LIGHT THE NIGHT

A night of prayer, adoration, and evangelization.

Friday, August 3rd

Queen of Peace Church

Come anytime between 6:30 and 10:30 pm

During Irish Fest we invite all people to pause for a moment and come for prayer. The church will be illuminated almost exclusively by candles. Live quiet, reflective music will play throughout the night to help center on God. Inside the church all are given a candle to light, reflect on a quote from Scripture, write down a prayer intention, or to speak with a priest. Stay for a few minutes, half an hour or even the whole evening.

Daily Readings

Mon July 16	Reading - Isaiah 1:10-17 Psalm- 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 & 23 Gospel- Matthew 10:34-11:1
Tues July 17	Reading- Isaiah 7:1-9 Psalm- 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8 Gospel- Matthew 11:20-24
Wed July 18	Reading- Isaiah 10:5-7, 13b-16 Psalm- 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15 Gospel- Matthew 11:25-27
Thur July 19	Reading- Isaiah 26:7-9, 12, 16-19 Psalm- 102:13-14ab & 15, 16-18, 19-21 Gospel- Matthew 11:28-30
Fri July 20	Reading- Isaiah 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8 Resp.- Isaiah 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16 Gospel - Matthew 12:1-8
Sat July 21	Reading- Micah 2:1-5 Psalm- 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14 Gospel- Matthew 12:14-21
Sun July 22	1st Reading- Jeremiah 23:1-6 Psalm - 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 2nd Reading- Ephesians 2:13-18 Gospel- Mark 6:30-34

Your Sacrificial Offering Previous Week Immaculate Conception Parish

Budget	\$10,449.53
Youth	\$1.00
Offertory	\$369.00
E-tithing	\$1,117.50
TOTAL	\$11,337.03
Needed Each Week	\$13,512.00

St. Joseph Parish

Budget	\$2,845.00
Youth	\$.00
Offertory	\$42.00
E-tithing	\$275.00
TOTAL	\$3,162.00
Needed Each Week	\$3,987.00

The way you help heal the world is that you start with your own family.

I spent several years after graduate school as a high school counselor and encountered children from broken homes nearly every day. Divorce, families without God at the center, and emotional neglect break the spirit of children in a stark and sometimes irreversible way. **But Mother Teresa believed that we could, in fact, heal what is broken about society – by starting in our own homes.** If we engaged in conversation with more intentionality and scheduled quality time with our spouse and children, perhaps even praying with them and for them, God's grace would begin to repair the wounds of loneliness and estrangement.

Thank you to everyone who had a part in the Raymond School Merry-Go-Round project. Whether you took it apart - Del Ludden (custodian) Randy Weber and Jack Knipp; Bought the gears - Jack and Sherry Knipp and Jeff Cook in memory of his grandparents Lester and Edith Youngblut (bought and brought home from the UK - due to not available in the states.); To John Gruman for his expertise and knowledge in fitting the gears together and in proper working order. And to the following for helping to put it all back together - Bill Johannes, Dean Becker, Gary Weber, Randy Weber and Tim Frost. If we inadvertently missed someone for helping , we thank you too.

I would like to thank everyone for the cards and best wishes I received for my 90th birthday. Thank you to my family , the choir and Fr. Huber for the wonderful Mass. It was a wonderful birthday for me! God Bless you all. Delphine Blunt

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

Area Events

The **ACCW Waterloo Deanery** meeting will be held Monday **July 16th** at Nancy Steffen's house, 6617 Lafayette in Raymond. 6pm Rosary followed by potluck supper.

Theology on Tap: July 18, 7pm. Another opportunity to gather for some theological discussion and carefully-crafted brews! Our topic: "*Should I watch GoT?*" Shows like HBO's 'Game of Thrones' have become popular, and more and more these shows include violent or explicit material. In the past, parents have asked: "Should I let my children watch Harry Potter?" And whether it is children and magic or adults and GoT, where do we as Catholics draw the line with the movies we watch and the shows we enjoy. We will meet at SingleSpeed Brewing Co, 325 Commercial, Waterloo. If you wish to eat prior to the discussion, please come at 6pm to order and eat. Discussion will start at 7pm. Sponsored by St. A's parish

Summer Sewing Continues! We had a group of *ten* join the June sewing day at the library, creating nearly 25 dresses, skirts, headbands, and purses to donate to Bosco's freshman class for the Shoebox Project! Our next gathering will have us making cinch bags/back packs to share with Bosco AND with Lutheran World Relief's School Kit Project. This is a VERY simple pattern to follow. You just need to bring your sewing machine and scissors; all other materials are provided.

We will gather at the **Dunkerton Public Library** on Friday **July 20, 10:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.** If you would like to contribute cord for the backpacks, please bring along 7/32" (or comparable) clothesline that is NOT 100% cotton, as we singe the ends to prevent unraveling. *Walmart sells a package of 100 yards for about \$3.50 (each bag takes 4 yards).

Please contact the library at **319-822-4610** or Paula at pwinkers@dunkerton.k12.ia.us or **319-822-4586** to let us know you plan to join us. This helps us better plan the event. Thank you!

The **Catholic Order of Foresters** youth members can swim free on **Sunday, July 22** from 1:00 pm till 8:30 pm. at the Falls Aquatic Center at 3024 Main St. in Cedar Falls. Donna Delagardelle will only be at the front entrance from 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm. to get your free tickets. Parents & friends can swim for \$5.00 a ticket. Everyone who enters the pool needs to have a swimming suit. Questions call Donna Delagardelle at 319 239-9945.

School News

Bosco Catholic School System

www.boscocatholic.org

Scrap Metal Collection

People are putting appliances next to the scrap metal dumpster by the football field. The scrap metal company will only take what is inside the dumpster. **Please do not put items next to our scrap metal dumpster. Refrigerators/freezers are not accepted**

SPORTS PHYSICAL NIGHT: Don Bosco Catholic students in grades 6-12 for the upcoming school year. **Monday, August 6th** from 6:00-7:30 PM at St. Mary Center. The cost will be \$20. Checks can be made payable to the Bosco Catholic Booster Club. Please go to the school website (www.boscocatholic.org) click on DB Athletics and print out the physical forms you will need to bring with you.

NOTE: The only 6th grade sport that requires a sports physical is softball. If you have any questions; please contact any of the Booster Club Officers.

Thank you for your support!

Grandparenting: Leaving a Legacy of Faith Conference

All grandparents are invited to participate in a day to celebrate the important role of grandparenting in family life. Connect with other grandparents and hear from dynamic speakers on how to leave a legacy of faith for your children and grandchildren. The day includes keynotes, breakout sessions, Mass with Archbishop Jackels, lunch, and more. The Archdiocesan "Grandparenting: Leaving a Legacy of Faith" conference will take place on Saturday, August 25th from 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM at St. Mary's in Waverly. Learn more and register by August 13th at www.dbqarch.org/grandparent-day. For questions, contact Matt Selby, Director of Marriage and Family Life, at (800) 876-3546, ext. 233 or m.selby@dbqarch.org.

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### 529 College Savings Plan Changes

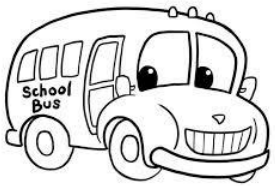
College Savings Plans, commonly known as 529 plans, have allowed individuals to invest funds that grow tax free for qualified college education expenses. IF the funds are invested in a College Savings Iowa plan or an IAdvisor 529 plan, the State of Iowa allows an Iowa tax deduction for the first \$3,319 contributed per beneficiary per year. The donor names a beneficiary for the funds, most often a child or grandchild.

Example: If you have three grandchildren you could invest \$3,319 for each of the grandchildren for a total contribution of \$9,957. (\$3,319 X 3). If you are married, your spouse could also make a contribution of \$9,957.

The funds grow tax free until the beneficiary needs the money to pay for qualified education expenses. The distributions to the beneficiary are completely free from federal and state income taxes. Recent tax law changes have expanded eligible distributions to tuition at accredited elementary or secondary schools in Iowa.

Example: A married couple could contribute the \$3,319 each for a newborn infant grandchild for five years. When the child enters kindergarten at age 5 there is already a nest egg of \$33,190 plus investment earnings to pay tuition to Immaculate Conception/St. Joseph School and Don Bosco High School. Any cash remaining after the child has graduated high school can be used for college costs. The couple has also saved approximately \$3,000 of state income tax.

If you have questions about 529 plans, please contact one of our school board members or your financial advisors.



**Bus Drivers Needed:** The Bosco Catholic School System has been notified by the State Department of Transportation that we can no longer use the 15 passenger turtle buses. We have until August to make other arrangements. In light of that, we need activity bus drivers that are willing to drive for our JH

and High School Activities. If you are interested please call the school at 319-296-1692. The minimum pay for school activities driving is \$12.50 per hour. For the position, the person must hold a class CDL with an endorsement for passengers and air brakes.