

### Mass Schedule and Intentions

#### Saturday- Vigil: Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**4:00 PM** (IC) Georgia Demuth

**5:30 PM** (SJ) For the People

#### Sunday- Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

**10:00 AM** (IC) Jeanne Mangrich

#### Monday- Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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

#### Tuesday- Weekday

**6:00 PM** (SJ) Bob and Joe Weber

#### Wednesday- Weekday

**7:45 AM** (IC) Rosie Fischels

#### Thursday- Saint Martha

**8:00 AM** (SJ) Ted & Lena Becker

#### Friday- Weekday

**7:45 AM** (IC) Living and deceased members of the  
Cletus & Maxine Even family

#### Saturday- Vigil: Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**4:00 PM** (IC) John Steils

**5:30 PM** (SJ) Mike & Helen Schmitz

#### Sunday- Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**8:00 AM** (IC) Dan Schmit

**10:00 AM** (IC) For the People

(IC) Immaculate Conception Church (SJ) St. Joseph Church



*"I tried as hard as I could to keep Jesus Christ our God and our Lord, present within me, that was my way of prayer."* (St. Teresa of Avila) Visits to the Perpetual Adoration Chapel, located at Columbus HS, benefit us

greatly in carrying Our Lord within us. Consider becoming a committed adorer, substitute or drop-in. Specific needs are Wednesdays at 3:00 AM and Wednesdays at 2:00 AM (once a month). If interested email [cvadoration@gmail.com](mailto:cvadoration@gmail.com) or call William Brandle at (319)939-9000.

### Mother Teresa's Words of Wisdom -

"By abortion, the mother kills even her own child to solve her problems, By abortion, the father is told that he does not have to take responsibility at all for the child he brought into the world. The father is likely to place other women in the same trouble. So abortion leads to abortion. Any country that accepts abortion is not teaching its people to love, but to use violence to get what they want. This is why the greatest destroyer of love and peace is abortion."

### Daily Readings

**Mon July 26** Reading- Exodus 32:15-24, 30-34  
Psalm- 106:19-20, 21-22, 23  
Gospel- Matthew 13:31-35

**Tues July 27** Reading- Exodus 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28  
Psalm- 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13  
Gospel- Matthew 13:36-43

**Wed July 28** Reading- Exodus 34:29-35  
Psalm- 99:5, 6, 7, 9  
Gospel- Matthew 13:44-46

**Thur July 29** Reading- Exodus 40:16-21, 34-38  
Psalm- 84:3, 4, 5-6a & 11  
Gospel- John 11:19-27

**Fri July 30** Reading- Leviticus 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37  
Psalm- 19:8, 9, 10, 11  
Gospel- Matthew 13:54-58

**Sat July 31** Reading- Leviticus 25:1, 8-17  
Psalm- 67:2-3, 5, 7-8  
Gospel- Matthew 14:1-12

**Sun Aug 1** 1<sup>st</sup> Reading- Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15  
Psalm- 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading- Ephesians 4:17, 20-24  
Gospel- John 6:24-35

### Your Sacrificial Offering

Previous week

#### Immaculate Conception Parish

Budget	\$4,218.00
Youth	\$6.00
Offertory	\$455.00
E-tithing	\$1,457.50
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$6,136.50</b>
Needed Each Week	\$15,729.35

#### St. Joseph Parish

Budget	\$2,870.00
Offertory	\$28.00
E-tithing	\$475.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$3,373.00</b>
Needed Each Week	\$3,999.40

### Preparation Class for Baptism will be **Sunday, August 15th**, following the



8:00 AM Mass 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.

## Thank You Notes

Thank you from Fr. John Gossman-

The welcome from you is unbelievable, from Fr. Huber too. The cleaning crew, the painters, carpet layers and all who fixed up the house and yard. Your generosity is beyond compare.

The parade was a little over the top

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The card ladies want to thank everyone for your continued support. We always receive so many beautiful cards to re-cycle but unfortunately lately we have been given cards with just the face of the card. This means we have no verse for the inside and therefore we can not use them. Believe us when we say we do not look at messages or signatures on the cards as we cut them.

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Immaculate Conception Parish would like to express our sympathy to the family of Mike Bedard. We thank them for remembering Immaculate Conception with their generous donation to our parish. May God bless 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**

**Food Collection Sunday** for the Catholic Worker House is the first Sunday of each month. Please be generous next Sunday in bringing non-perishable goods. Current House needs are canned soups, bottled water, boxed meals like Tuna Helper with a can of tuna, can openers and cleaning supplies.



## AREA EVENTS

**The Catholic Order of Foresters Family Picnic** will be held **Sunday July 25** at the Jesup Park Pavilion beginning 4:00 PM and enjoying our meal around 5:00 PM. Hamburgers, hotdogs, chips, cookies and beverages will be furnished. Anyone wanting to bring a covered dish can but not necessary to attend.

**ACCW** - The Waterloo Deanery Council of Catholic Women will meet on Monday evening, **August 2nd** at 6:00 PM in the Parish Center at St. Athanasius Church in Jesup, beginning with a rosary and prayers A light meal for a donation of \$2.00 will be served with a meeting to follow, at which Deacon Tom Lang (retired) will speak of his connection with prison ministry. Come and join in as we find ways to act on a work of mercy.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING  
**VIRTUAL SUMMIT**

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Sunday, July 25, 2021 | 2:30-4:30 PM  
FREE Virtual (Zoom) Event  
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PLEASE REGISTER AT  
[NFP.DBQARCH.ORG/NFP-VIRTUAL-SUMMIT](https://nfp.dbqarch.org/nfp-virtual-summit)

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of DUBUQUE

In order to celebrate Natural Family Planning (NFP) Awareness Week, which is **July 25th-31st**, the Archdiocese of Dubuque will host a NFP Virtual Summit to help people learn about what NFP is and why it is beneficial. This virtual event will include a keynote talk by Archbishop Jackels, breakout session talks by local experts and married couples, opportunities to network and ask questions, and more. The Virtual Summit will take place via Zoom on **Sunday, July 25th from 2:30-4:30 PM**. There is no charge to participate, but you must register by completing the form at <https://nfp.dbqarch.org/nfp-virtual-summit>