

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Vigil: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM (IC) Dick Thome

5:30 PM (SJ) Living and deceased former pastors of
Saint Joseph Parish

Sunday- Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 AM (IC) For the People

8:30 AM (IC) Doug Reiter (Anniv)

10:00 AM (IC) Joe Frost (Anniv)

Monday – Weekday

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

Tuesday – Weekday

NO MASS

Wednesday – Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles

7:45 AM (IC) Kenny Youngblut

Thursday – Weekday

7:45 AM (IC) Diane Schmitt Middelburg

Friday- Weekday

7:45 AM (IC) Leo & Martha Schmitz

Saturday- Vigil: All Saints

4:00 PM (IC) Quinton Walton (Anniv)

5:30 PM (SJ) For the People

Sunday- All Saints

7:00 AM (IC) Sister Therese Even (Anniv)

8:30 AM (IC) Deceased members of Frank VanEe family

10:00 AM (IC) Kennedy Frost

(IC) Immaculate Conception (SJ) St. Joseph

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The link to sign up for Masses for the weekend and coming weekdays will be sent out through email and posted on the Facebook page Wednesday morning of each week. If you do not receive an e-mail and would like one, please call the parish office. Weekend Mass will continue to be Live-streamed on the Facebook page which is Immaculate Conception & Saint Joseph Catholic Churches, Iowa
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Meetings and Activities

Sunday, October 24

RCIA Class, 8:30 – 9:45 AM.....I.C. grade school library

Wednesday, October 28

Liturgy Committee meeting, 6:00 PM.....Heritage Room

Sunday, November 1

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"Never despair of the mercy of God." (St. Isidore of Seville) Never despair of anything when you have God to turn to. Visit Him at the

Perpetual Adoration Chapel located at Columbus HS. Available 24/7 to all. Committed adorers, substitutes & drop-ins are all needed. Specific needs at this time are Sundays at 4:00 AM and Fridays at 2:00 PM. Email cvadoration@gmail.com or call Mike Strei at 801-920-9130.

Daily Readings

Mon Oct 26 Reading- Ephesians 4:32 – 5:8

Psalm- 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6

Gospel- Luke 13:10-17

Tues Oct 27 Reading- Ephesians 5:21-33

Psalm- 128:1-2, 3, 4-5

Gospel- Luke 13:18-21

Wed Oct 28 Reading- Ephesians 2:19-22

Psalm- 19:2-3, 4-5

Gospel- Luke 6:12-16

Thur Oct 29 Reading- Ephesians 6:10-20

Psalm- 144:1b, 2, 9-10

Gospel- Luke 13:31-35

Fri Oct 30 Reading- Philippians 1:1-11

Psalm- 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6

Gospel- Luke 14:1-6

Sat Oct 31 Reading- Philippians 1:18b-26

Psalm- 42:2, 3, 5cdef

Gospel- Luke 14:1, 7-11

Sun Nov 1 1st Reading- Revelations 7:2-4, 9-14

Psalm- 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6

2nd Reading- 1 John 3:1-3

Gospel- Matthew 5:1-12a

Your Sacrificial Offering

Previous week

Immaculate Conception Parish

Budget	\$26,329.01
Youth	\$2.00
Offertory	\$150.00
Holy Day	\$.00
E-tithing	\$1,382.50
TOTAL	\$27,863.51
Needed Each Week	\$13,512.00

St. Joseph Parish

Budget	\$3,130.00
Offertory	\$47.00
E-tithing	\$475.00
TOTAL	\$3,652.00
Needed Each Week	\$4,359.83



Pro-Life Quote - - "I feel that the greatest destroyer of peace today is abortion, because it is a war against the child, a direct killing of the innocent child, murder by the mother herself."

~ Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Preparation Class for Baptism will be **Sunday, November 8** following the 8:30 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.

**The Parishes' office will be closed
Friday, October 30**

Area Events

Thank You Notes

We would like to thank everyone for all the kind words, prayers, support, memorials, cards, flowers, visits and food. All was greatly appreciated during our time of sorrow. A special thank you to Fr. Reuter for giving dad last rites, Fr. Huber and Deacon Hagarty for celebrating the funeral Mass. Thank you to Sue Reiter for playing the organ. We also want to thank the entire staff at White Funeral home for their services during this trying time. Thank you to the Cedar Valley Hospice, American Legion #714 for the military rites and Waterloo Police Dept & Dispatch for the cemetery escort and "Last Call". Everything was just beautiful and greatly appreciated.

The family of Dale Shannon

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### Hope Lodge

I will be collecting for Hope Lodge in Iowa City at the south entrance of I. C. Church before and after each Mass. Items needed are paper products, cleaning and disinfecting products, gifts cards and monetary donations. This collection helps so many cancer patients to get through the trying times. Randy J Mangrich

## *School News*

**Bosco Catholic School System**

[www.boscocatholic.org](http://www.boscocatholic.org).



### **Leaf Raking Service**

**Project-** The IC/St. Joseph Middle School students will once again be raking leaves for the elderly and disabled citizens of Gilbertville. This

service project is scheduled for Friday, November 6. If you would like your yard raked that day, please call the IC office at 296-1089 or email Ms. Berry at [cberry@boscocatholic.org](mailto:cberry@boscocatholic.org) with your name and address. Yards must be within walking distance of IC School. With our numbers, we are limited to the number of yards we can rake, so be sure to put your request in early. Please call no later than October 30 so that we can finalize our plans for the day.

**Don Bosco National Honor Society** will host an American Red Cross blood drive on Tuesday, November 10, from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the high school gym. Your support can help make this blood drive a success! Giving blood at this drive can also help our Don Bosco students earn scholarships! We're proud to take part in the American Red Cross High School Scholarship Program. Scholarships are awarded to students that demonstrate leadership in the coordination of Don Bosco blood drives. To schedule an appointment for the upcoming drive please visit [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org), call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767), Ms. Mayer (319-240-3461), or Don Bosco Office (319-296-1692). Thanks for your support of this community service.

**The Catholic Order of Foresters youth members Trunk or Treat Halloween Party** will be held TODAY, **Sunday October 25** in a car located outside St. Mary's Center from 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM All COF youth will receive a light stick and a bag of treats. No costumes are required. We ask you wear a mask and practice social distancing. Any questions call Donna Delagardelle 239-9945

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### **Immaculate Conception Harvestfest Raffle Results**

Handcrafted Cherry Grandmother Clock – donated by Ron Pint in memory of Dwywan Pint.

**Winner- Sarah Asmus, Elk Run Heights.**

\$675 Gift Certificate Bundle (\$100 each for Gilbertville Locker, Casey's, Kwik Star; \$125 each for Fareway, Target, and HyVee) - donated by Sunday Breakfast Group (Mike/Joli Becker, Laverne/Sue Bovy, Patty Mangrich, Randy Mangrich, Sue Mangrich, Dennis/Carla Sue Reuter, Dale/Leigh Schares, Allen/JoAnn Weber, Jr./Jeanne Weber).

**Winner- Diane Bedard, Washburn**

Oak Curio Hutch - donated in memory of Rita Weber

**Winner- Clem Delagardelle, Gilbertville**

2- \$250 Scrip Dollars of your Choice – donated by Steve & Michele Phillips.

**Winners- Brenda Havel and Cate Paulsen**

Landscape Timber Wagon Planter – donated & built by Kurt Corkery and family

**Winner- Uchytal, Gilbertville**

3- \$100 Scrip Dollars of your Choice – donated by Recycled Greeting Card Group.

**Winners- Dan Schmitz, Waterloo; Brenda Schares, Washburn; Ken Thoma, Waterloo**

Fragrant Candle Collection in Tin Bucket – donated by Gary & Jean Pint; Eric and Janet Sparrow, owners of Milkhouse Candle Co.

**Winner- Ken & Barb Thoma, Waterloo**

A BIG thank you to all who donated raffle prizes, purchased tickets and/or donated to Harvestfest in any way this year. Your support during this pandemic was very much appreciated. The raffle drawing video is also available on the Facebook page.