

### Mass Schedule and Intentions

#### Vigil: Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

**4:00 PM** (IC) Deceased members of the Leo Weber family

**5:30 PM** (SJ) Diane Schmitt Middelburg

#### Sunday- Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

**8:00 AM** (IC) Pete & Ruth Gardner

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

#### Monday- St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, virgin

**8:30 AM** (FRH)

#### Tuesday- Weekday

**8:00 AM** (SJ) Carol Schmitz

#### Wednesday - Weekday

**7:45 AM** (IC) Jim, Marge and Peggy Youngblut

#### Thursday- Weekday

**8:00 AM** (SJ) Nate Springer (Anniv) Grades K & 1

#### Friday- St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious Grades 2 -12

**7:45 AM** (IC) John Vieth

#### Saturday- Vigil: Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

**4:00 PM** (IC) Clete Schmit

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

#### Sunday- Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

**8:00 AM** (IC) Dick Steimel

**10:00 AM** (IC) Paul & Elma Mangrich

### Meetings and Activities

#### Sunday, November 12

RCIA Class, 8:45 -10:00 AM.....I.C. School

#### Wednesday, November 15

IC Parish Council meeting, 7:00 PM .....Heritage Room

#### Thursday, November 16

Adult Faith Formation, 6:30 PM.....Heritage Room

#### Sunday, November 19

RCIA Class, 8:45 -10:00 AM.....I.C. School



**Save The Date!** Celebration of the PEA Chapel's 10 year anniversary. All adorer gathering on Tuesday, January 23, 2018. Mass with Archbishop Jackels. Potluck to follow. The Perpetual Adoration Chapel is available 24/7 to everyone. Consider a committed hour weekly, bi-weekly or monthly. Email [cvadoration@gmail.com](mailto:cvadoration@gmail.com) or call William Brandle at [319-939-9000](tel:319-939-9000).

### Have you considered becoming a Deacon?

Jesus said, "Come and see." (Jn 1:39) The Office of the Permanent Diaconate is seeking married or single men interested in becoming a Permanent Deacon. The call to the diaconate is a call to a vocation. It requires prayer, commitment, and dedication. Interested men between the ages of 32 and 58, and their wives if married, are invited to attend an "Information Meeting" on **Thursday, November 16** at John the Evangelist Parish, Independence at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. For more information, please contact Deacon Tom Lang at [1-800-876-3546](tel:1-800-876-3546) ext. 252.

### Daily Readings

**Mon Nov 13** Reading - Wisdom 1:1-7  
Psalm- 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8., 9-10  
Gospel- Luke 17:1-6

**Tues Nov 14** Reading- Wisdom 2:23 - 3:9  
Psalm- 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19  
Gospel- Luke 17:7-10

**Wed Nov 15** Reading- Wisdom 6:1-11  
Psalm- 82:3-4, 6-7  
Gospel- Luke 17:11-19

**Thur Nov 16** Reading- Wisdom 7:22b - 8:1  
Psalm- 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175  
Gospel- Luke 17:20-25

**Fri Nov 17** Reading- Wisdom 13:1-9  
Psalm - 19:2-3, 4-5ab  
Gospel - Luke 17:26-37

**Sat Nov 18** Reading- Wisdom 18:14-16; 19:6-9  
Psalm- 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43  
Gospel- Luke 18:1-8

**Sun Nov 19** 1st Reading- Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31  
Psalm- 63:128:1-2, 3, 4-5  
2nd Reading- 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6  
Gospel- Matthew 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

### Your Sacrificial Offering

Previous Week

#### Immaculate Conception Parish

Budget	\$8,754.00
Youth	\$2.00
Offertory	\$523.00
Holy Day	\$260.00
E-tithing	\$1,172.50
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$10,711.50</b>
Needed Each Week	\$13,512.00

#### St. Joseph Parish

Budget	\$3,555.00
Offertory	\$60.00
Holy Day	\$135.00
E-tithing	\$275.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$4,025.00</b>
Needed Each Week	\$3,987.00

**Quote of the week-** "Jesus is with you even when you don't feel His presence. He is never so close to you as He is during your spiritual battles. He is always there, close to you, encouraging you to fight your battle courageously. He is there to ward off the enemy's blows so that you may not be hurt." ~St. Pio of Pietrelcina

Thank you to St. Ann's Circle for preparing and serving the funeral dinner for the Kyle Berry family.  
St. Elizabeth's Circle will be in charge of the next dinner.



St. Joseph Parish is again sponsoring a Thanksgiving Clothing Drive for St. Vincent De Paul. Items can be dropped off now through **Monday, November 20**. Please put items in plastic bags and bring into the Lafayette

Rd. entryway of the school during school hours or before and after 5:30 PM Mass on Saturday. Thank you for your generosity in helping others by sharing good used clothes.

## School News

**Bosco Catholic School System**  
[www.boscocatholic.org](http://www.boscocatholic.org).



### BOSCO BOOSTER CLUB SCRATCH CUPCAKE FUNDRAISER

This YUMMY fundraiser goes through **November 17** with delivery on Friday December 8 at 1:00 PM. If you would like to order contact any student K through 12 or the school at 296-1692.

You can also look up the Scratch Cupcake fundraiser on: <http://www.scratchcupcakery.com/fundraising/delivering-smiles>. Thank you for supporting the Bosco Catholic School's Booster Club!

**Fruit Sale-** The Don Bosco Catholic High School National Honor Society Fruit Sale for the Bosco Catholic School system general fund will be from November 4 through November 17. Order forms can be found at each church, downloaded from the Bosco Catholic School web site: [www.boscocatholic.org](http://www.boscocatholic.org) or by contacting a Don Bosco Catholic High School student. Please call 319-296-1692 if you need assistance.

**Don Bosco Athletic Hall of Fame-** We are excited to announce that we are inducting the Don Bosco Athletic Hall of Fame Class of 2017 into the Hall on **Friday, November 24** at 6:30 PM. The induction will take place in the Don Bosco Gym. The wrestling team and boys and girls basketball teams will have practice open to anyone who would like to come beginning at 5:00 PM. Everyone is welcome to attend both the open practices and the Hall of Fame induction ceremony.

This year's inductees are:  
Coach John Birkett - Basketball  
Coach Tom Kettman - Wrestling  
Volleyball Team of 2005  
Tony Bedard - Wrestling



## Area Events

**Open House:** There will be a Birthday Open House for Maggie Kurtz on November 25th at the American Legion from 1 - 4 PM . Please join Maggie as she celebrates her 90th birthday, she would truly enjoy your company!

**Lasagna Dinner** at Queen of Peace Church in Scallon Hall. **Saturday, November 18th** from 5:00—7:30 PM. The K of C Council #11192 will be serving lasagna, a salad, breadsticks, dessert, and coffee included for only \$9.00 for Adults, 8.00 for Seniors, children 5-12, 5.00 and under 5 free. Advance tickets will be sold and discounted by \$1.00 per meal. The profits will go towards local charitable organizations including our weekly Community Meal sponsored in part by the Knights. Queen of Peace is located at [320 Mulberry St., Waterloo](http://320MulberryStWaterloo.com).

**Breakfast- St. Mary of Mt. Carmel** in Eagle Center will be serving a breakfast on **Sunday, November 12** from 8:30 AM until 11:00 AM. Menu includes sausage, scrambled eggs, hash browns, sweet rolls and beverage.

### Broasted Chicken Dinner-

St. Athanasius in Jesup will be serving a broasted chicken dinner on **Sunday, November 12** from 10:30 AM until 1:30 PM. Menu includes chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, dressing, corn, coleslaw, roll, dessert and beverage. Adults \$10, kids age 6-12 \$5, and kids 5 and under are free.



**Steak Fry-** The American Legion in Gilbertville will hold it's last steak fry for the year on **Saturday, November 18**. Doors open at 5:00 PM and serving begins at 5:30 through 7:30 PM. Everyone is welcome.

## Retreat and Vacation opportunities

The Newman Catholic Student Center at The University of Iowa is sponsoring a 12-day tour of England, Scotland and Wales March 9-20, 2018. Tour hosts will be Bishop Emeritus Martin Amos and Newman Center rep, April Rouner. The full tour itinerary can be viewed at [www.iowacatholic.org](http://www.iowacatholic.org). Cost is \$3699 per person from Chicago (other departure cities available). Price includes RT air, first class accommodations, most meals, professional tour director, sightseeing entrance fees, optional daily Mass, and more. Contact April Rouner at [april@newman-ic.org](mailto:april@newman-ic.org) or [319-337-3106 Ext. 119](tel:319-337-3106) for more information or a registration brochure.

**Pilgrimage to the Holy Land:** Come along April 16-25, 2018, to visit and walk some of the sacred grounds where Jesus walked! We'll visit Tiberias, Nazareth, Bethlehem, Jerusalem and so much more. Mass each day in great Churches and Cathedrals along the way, and we'll renew marriage vows in Cana and baptismal vows along the Jordan River! Cost is \$3,799 with departure from Omaha. For a brochure and more information, contact Fr. Dan Guenther, Immaculate Conception Parish, P.O. Box 658, Cherokee, Iowa 51012 or call [712-225-4606](tel:712-225-4606) or email [frdanguenther@gmail.com](mailto:frdanguenther@gmail.com)