

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

September 2, 2018

Mass Schedule and Intentions:

Sunday, September 2nd – 8:00am

+ Jim Grant

Tuesday, September 4th – 5:30pm

+ For the Parishioners

Friday, September 7th – 10:15am – Nursing Home

+ Arlene Schmitt

Sunday, September 9th – 8:00am

+ Bill Weaver

Sacred Heart Mission: We, the Sacred Heart Catholic Church parish, are a community of Christian faith striving to teach the word of God, to minister the sacraments, and to share Jesus' love.

SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS:

SEPTEMBER 4th – Guild Meeting

SEPTEMBER 7th – Parish Council Meeting

SEPTEMBER 9th – Religious Ed Classes Begin and Teacher In-service

SEPTEMBER 16th – Altar Server Class

JOIN US FOR FELLOWSHIP right after Mass. Coffee and rolls will be served. All are welcome. We will continue to serve coffee and rolls while Religious Education is in session. All are welcome!

GUILD MEETING – There will be a Guild meeting THIS Tuesday, September 4th, at 7:00pm in the Parish Center. All ladies are invited to come. We will be making plans for the FALL DINNER which will be on Sunday, October 28th. It is time to get all the plans in place – no more talking about how we want to do it – we just need to make plans and go ahead with them. A QUILT to be raffled off at the dinner has been donated by Marilyn Ermer, so we will be getting tickets ready to be mailed out that evening. It will be on display in the Parish Center. Promoters and helpers, please plan to attend. There are new Guild books on the tables in back of church and in the Parish Center. Pick one up for your use.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING will be held Friday, September 7th, at 6:30pm in the Parish Center.

QUILT RAFFLE – The quilt to be raffled off at the Fall Dinner is on display in the Parish Center. Stop and take a look. Raffle tickets will be available soon: \$1.00/each or 6 for \$5.00.

THANK YOU to those who boiled and peeled potatoes for the chicken BBQ. A special thanks to Sandy, Denise, Betty, and Dan for boiling and peeling the eggs and putting the 80lbs of potato salad together on Friday afternoon!

BAPTISM CLASS: The next Baptism class will be on Sunday, September 16th, starting at 12:30pm to 2:00pm at St. Joe's in Mason City. No need to pre-register, just show up that day. It is encouraged that you attend the classes before the baby is born, if possible. There are 2 different classes; one for your first child and one for your second and beyond. Schedule on bulletin board in the back of the church.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION TEACHER IN-SERVICE is scheduled for September 9th at 5:00pm in the Parish Center. Meal will be provided, followed by guest speaker, Matt Selby. We are looking for a couple volunteers to provide pans of bars. Registration is due by August 31st. Sign up in back of church. Contact Amanda Dick for details, or see flyer on bulletin board.

ALTAR SERVER CLASS is scheduled for Sunday, September 16th, following Mass. This is offered for any person that has received his or her First Communion. 3rd grade class, please join us!! Anyone wishing for a refresher class is welcome to come, as well. Sign up in back of church, if interested. This is a make-up from the previously scheduled class. Please plan on attending.

REMINDER...THE BALCONY IS CLOSED – At our last insurance inspection, it was recommended that we close the balcony for safety reasons. There is a sign and ropes across the stairs. Please do not use the balcony.

WITNESS: Read about these topics and more in the September 2nd issue: Archbishop Jackels reflects on the way forward in light of the sexual abuse crisis; prayer service set for Sept 14th at the Cathedral; Coverage of the first conference for grandparents in the Archdiocese held recently in Waverly; Memorial Mass for Mollie Tibbetts held in Brooklyn, Iowa. Relatives living in the Archdiocese of Dubuque remember her as a young woman of great faith; BVM sisters celebrating jubilees are highlighted; Coverage of Pope's visit to Ireland, other national, international church news.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS –THE 24 HOUR KNIGHT: Today's men face many commitments. From his duty to his family, work or farm, there are constant demands on his time. How many times do we say: "I don't have time to give to the Knights, so why should I join?" or "I can't commit to anything right now." It's a common concern among many men, that they just don't have the time to be a part of the Knights of Columbus. No man is unworthy of becoming a Knight! If a man gave just give 24 hours a year, to the Knights of Columbus, he could make a positive difference in his community and Church. Below shows how little time it takes to be an active part of the Knights of Columbus. Even with this minimal commitment he can be an important part of our council and reap the benefits of what membership in the Knights of Columbus has to offer him, his wife or family as well. 4 hours a year volunteering at the Knights fundraising programs for people less fortunate, sick or having hardships, that may be neighbors; 4 hours a year participating in the council corporate Communion or prayer services at church; 2 hours a year on a council sponsored project for the church, community, council family or youth project of his choosing; 12 hours a year attending council meetings to offer ideas, suggest charitable causes and help other men and their families; 2 hours a year enjoying (again, with his entire family) a council social function such as a dinner, skating, bowling or picnic, etc. By giving the Knights of Columbus only 24 hours a year, a man can become a better Catholic, a better father, a better husband and a better person. Think of the difference the Knights of Columbus can make in our community. Consider joining the Knight of Columbus today!

UPCOMING KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS EVENTS – Thursday, September 13th, 2018: General meeting of all 4th Degree Knights will meet at the Knights of Columbus in Mason City at 551 S Taft Ave, Mason City, IA 50401 at 6:30pm; **Thursday, September 20th, 2018:** The local council of Rockwell, Rockford & Dougherty will have a monthly meeting for all Knights at Holy Name Catholic Church in Rockford at 7:30pm. Those interested in Joining the Knights of Columbus, please come by 7:00pm to get any information or ask any questions regarding the Knights. Also, be on the look-out for the Annual Tootsie Roll program. Your donation is used well in the Community and your support is greatly appreciated!

FATHER GOSSMAN'S HOURS – Office hours at Sacred Heart: Tuesdays 1:00pm to 5:30pm; Thursdays 9:30am to 12:30pm; 1st & 3rd Fridays after Nursing Home Mass until noon. If you want to meet with him in the evening, contact him for a time. All these subject to change if a funeral, wake, etc. comes up. His contact information is listed below.

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BUDGET: August 26, 2018	BUILDING BALANCE \$9,407.94	BUDGET ENVELOPES: Envelope Holders = 150
Adults \$3,065.00	<u>Last Week's Donations</u> \$442.57	33 Budget + 2 Building + 3 Parking Lot = 38
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Building \$442.57		
<u>Parking Lot</u> \$1,017.58		
\$4,543.10		

PARKING LOT FUND = \$37,662.58 (money collected, does not include pledges)

SEPTEMBER 2, 2018

MASS SERVERS: Holden & Hannah Hensley
 LECTOR #1: Bob Ermer LECTOR #2: Pat McLaughlin
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: John & Sue McLaughlin
 Tim & Margaret Nuehring
 HOSPITALITY: Tom & Tara Hensley
 MUSIC: Andrea Hanig, Ann Wolf
 MONEY COUNTERS: Les Knowles, Paul Rowe
 NURSING HOME: Kim Thyne & Frank Tracy
 KC ROSARY LEADER: Tony Jeffrey

SEPTEMBER 16, 2018

MASS SERVERS: McKensie Shupe, Collin Reed,
 Jayden Pitzenberger
 LECTOR #1: Matt Reed LECTOR #2: Jim Reed
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Theresa Jeffrey, Jeanne Wogen
 Larry & Cathy Degen
 HOSPITALITY: Renee, Zach, & Kylie Laudner
 MUSIC: Kaleb Hrubetz, Ann Wolf
 MONEY COUNTERS: Tammy Hrubetz, John McLaughlin
 NURSING HOME: Roger Sido
 KC ROSARY LEADER: John Nelson

SEPTEMBER 9, 2018

MASS SERVERS: Jayce & Cole Weiner
 LECTOR #1: Kim Thyne LECTOR #2: Andrea Hanig
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Tammy Hrubetz, Dave Weiland,
 John & Diane Nelson
 HOSPITALITY: Jim Weaver, Gary Weiner
 MUSIC: Tiyana Rogers, Ann Wolf
 MONEY COUNTERS: Tom Madden, Sheri Sprung
 NURSING HOME: Renee Laudner
 KC ROSARY LEADER: Les Knowles

SEPTEMBER 23, 2018

MASS SERVERS: Noah & Kaleb Hrubetz
 LECTOR #1: Charley Sprung LECTOR #2: Dave Weiland
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Kate Osterman, Lisa Schultz
 Pat Sheldon, Roger Sido
 HOSPITALITY: Confirmation Class
 MUSIC: Praise Team
 MONEY COUNTERS: Dan Hrubetz, Margaret Nuehring
 NURSING HOME: Kate Osterman
 KC ROSARY LEADER: John Rooney

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IMPORTANT DATES (See above for details):

SEPTEMBER 9th – Classes begin NEXT SUNDAY; Religious Ed Teacher In-service
SEPTEMBER 16th – Altar Server Class

AREA MASS TIMES AND LOCATIONS – **Tuesday** at 8:00am Holy Family (Mason City); **Wednesday** at 8:00am Holy Family (Mason City); **Thursday** at 5:15pm St. Joseph (Mason City); **Friday** at 6:30am St. Joseph (Mason City); **Saturday Masses:** 4:00pm at Holy Family (Mason City), 4:00pm at St. Patrick's (Clear Lake), 5:30pm at Sacred Heart (Manly); **Sunday Masses:** 7:30am at St. Joseph (Mason City), 9:00am at St. Joseph (Mason City), 10:00am at St. Patrick's (Clear Lake), 11:00am at Holy Family (Mason City)

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