

# Sacred Heart Catholic Church

March 10, 2019

## Mass Schedule and Intentions:

Sunday, March 10th – 8:00am  
+ Ray McLaughlin  
Tuesday, March 12th – 5:30pm  
+ Lorena Murphy  
Friday, March 15th – 10:15am – Nursing Home  
+ Arlene Schmitt  
Sunday, March 17th – 8:00am  
+ Mel & Kay Kruckenberg

*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:

**SUNDAY, MARCH 10th** – Lenten Breakfast after Mass  
**SUNDAY, MARCH 17th** – Irish Fair

**LENTEN BREAKFASTS BEGIN TODAY!** Join us food and fellowship after Mass. There will not be a breakfast next week due to the Irish Fair.

**THANK YOU** to the Ladies Guild for the donation to the parking lot fund of \$5,000!

**IRISH FAIR IS NEXT WEEK** from 11:00am-2:00pm (Live Auction begins at 1:30pm). Come enjoy the food, games, and fun!!! Come and be prepared to bid! Please remember to sell your raffle tickets and come to your assigned shifts. If you cannot work your assigned time, please call the office at 641-822-4950 or h.cahalan@sacredheartrockwell.org. **DONATION SHEETS** are on the back tables for you to sign up for any of the items you wish to donate: pop, water, hamburger, potato salad, cakes for cake walk, and paper products. Remember to bring items for the bake sale. **FLYERS** to advertise the fair are on the back tables. If you live out of town and can put one up in your town or at your work place, please take one. **SOME OF THE ITEMS UP FOR BID ON THE LIVE AUCTION:** An overnight at Isle Casino in Waterloo; An overnight stay at Super 8 in Mason City (swimming pool, hot tub, continental breakfast); NIACC Performing Arts: 4 tickets for Earth's Prehistoric Aquarium Adventure on April 15th; Exterior Car Detail from Hawkeye Auto Body; Slumberland \$50.00 gift certificate, \$50.00 gift certificates from Rockwell Area Market and Stop and donated by the Ladies Guild; Chicago Bears autographed picture; Brian Dozier autographed baseball; lots of class baskets; oil changes; quilts from women's shelter; and food certificates. If you are wondering what the profits are used for, an example is in the last year, Sacred Heart t-shirts were purchased for all of the Religious Ed and Newman kids (\$800). And please pray for good weather!!

**IRISH FAIR PROFITS** – If you are wondering what the profits are used for, wonder no more! Last year the Irish Fair gave \$12,000.00 to the Religious Education program, a greater share of that was used for the Religious Education program here at Sacred Heart. A portion of it was used to pay additional tuition for the students at Newman in the grade school. The amount last year was about \$4,000.00; A small portion is used to pay for our adult religious education programs such as the Lenten Longings program, for books used. So everyone in the parish benefits from the funds raised at the fair. If not for the fair, the Parish would have to somehow have to come up with around \$12,000.00 each year. The NCYC kids earn the money for their trip through projects. Each person going needs to pay \$100.00. The rest is earned through projects. If they would fall short, the money is there for them. Sacred Heart t-shirts were also purchased for all of the Religious Ed and Newman kids (\$800).

**FOOD DRIVE** – We will be having a Food Drive for the West Fork Food Pantry prior and during the Irish Fair. You will receive an Irish Fair prize table ticket for each item donated, up to five tickets.

**AMERICAN LEGION POST 354** will sponsor the 17th Annual St. Patrick's Day Homemade Soup Contest and Supper on Saturday, March 16th, at the S.T.P.A.T.S. school gym in Dougherty. Bring a crock-pot o' soup and try for over \$600 in prizes! Soups must be registered by 6:00pm, as judging begins promptly at 6:00pm. Celebrity judges include Senator Amanda Ragan. Costume contest so "Wear Your Green" and try for the top prize! Dozens of soups, snacks, beverages and a surprise or two. Hope to see you in Lil' Ireland on the 16th!

**SCRATCH CUPCAKES** – Our National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) kids will be selling Scratch Cupcakes from now until Thursday, March 21st. The cost of the 6-pack cupcakes will run between \$15-\$20. With each pack, our group will earn 40% of each purchase. The cupcakes come in a large variety of cupcakes, including Gluten Free and Vegan! Our NCYC kids are Noah Hrubetz, Madi Hubka, Ki Janssen, Emma Martinek, Carson Nuehring, Hunter Petersen, Allison Pitzenberger, Tiyanne Rogers, and Maci Shupe. Please see one of these kids to get your order in today!

**COMMUNAL PENANCE** will be at here at Sacred Heart on Sunday, March 24th, at 1:00pm. First Reconciliation will also be that day. The schedule for all of the churches: Tuesday, March 26th, at 7:00pm, at Holy Family (Mason City); Saturday, April 6th, at 10:30am, at St. Patrick's (Clear Lake); Friday, April 12th, at 7:00pm, at Sacred Heart (Manly); Sunday, April 14th, at 1:00pm, at St. Joseph's (Mason City)

**ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH** will be serving a Soup Supper beginning at 5:30pm on Wednesday nights during Lent. A free will offering will be accepted. At 7:00pm, a Lenten Service will be offered. The first supper will be on Wednesday, March 13th.

**SACRED HEART CEMETERY** would like to thank Steve Sturges and Bruce Ries for providing snow removal this winter for the cemetery, and to Jim Blood for the black dirt he donates to the cemetery! -Sacred Heart Trustees.

**FATHER GOSSMAN'S EMAIL WAS HACKED!** If you receive an email from Fr. Gossman that does not pertain to anything for you, **DO NOT** respond, as his email has been hacked!

**BUDGET ENVELOPES** for March & April were mailed out a couple weeks ago. The corrections Helen said would be made before this mailing did not happen due to the cutoff date. We hope they will happen in the May/June mailings. Sorry for the mix up. Do you like having the envelopes mailed to you? We have the ability to add a letter to all parishioners if we have an event in the parish and can add an envelope for a special collection if we want too.

**WITNESS:** read about these and more in the March 10th issue: As Lent begins, Archbishop Jackels reflects on being trained all over again as a follower of Christ; An article will examine the tradition of weekly Bingo at parishes around the Archdiocese – The programs build community and offers a unique opportunity for stewardship; Catholic Charities Counselor, Lisa Turner, writes about coping with loss and grief in the 21st century; A Catholic boys' school in Trinidad integrates an African warrior tradition into its formation of students.

**WEATHER CANCELATIONS** – Should Sunday Mass be canceled, KIMT and KGLO are where you should be able to find that information. Tuesday evening Mass will be canceled if West Fork cancels school.

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**BUDGET: March 3, 2019**  
 Adults \$1,265.00  
 Offertory \$99.00  
 Building \$100.00  
 \$1,455.00

**BUILDING BALANCE** \$15,220.03  
Last Week's Donations \$0  
 \$15,220.03

**BUDGET ENVELOPES: Envelope Holders = 150**  
 33 Budget + 1 Parking Lot = 28

**PARKING LOT FUND** = \$54,867.00 (*money collected, does not include pledges*)  
 (*Includes \$5,000 Guild donation and \$134 interest from Thrivent*)

**FATHER GOSSMAN'S HOURS** – Office hours at Sacred Heart: Tuesdays 1:00pm-5:30pm; Thursdays 9:30am-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.

**MARCH 10, 2019**

MASS SERVERS: Collin Reed, Jayden Pitzenberger  
 LECTOR #1: John Rooney LECTOR #2: Jessica Foreshoe  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Jeanne Wogen, Kim Thyne  
 Sarah Johnson, Jim Weaver  
 HOSPITALITY: 1st Grade  
 MUSIC: Tiyana Rogers, Ann Wolf  
 MONEY COUNTERS: Tammy Hrubetz, Pat Sheldon  
 NURSING HOME: Roger Sido  
 KC ROSARY: Charlie Sprung

**MARCH 17, 2019- IRISH FAIR**

MASS SERVERS: Noah & Kaleb Hrubetz  
 LECTOR #1: Charley Sprung LECTOR #2: Dave Weiland  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Lisa Schultz, Pat Sheldon  
 Roger Sido, Tammy Hrubetz  
 HOSPITALITY: Jim Weaver, Gary Weiner  
 MUSIC: Theresa Jeffrey, Ann Wolf  
 MONEY COUNTERS: Margaret Nuehring, Dan Hrubetz  
 NURSING HOME: Renee Laudner  
 KC ROSARY: John Staudt

**MARCH 24, 2019**

MASS SERVERS: Hayden Johnson, Cole Weiner  
 LECTOR #1: Jessica Foreshoe LECTOR #2: Beth Janssen  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Tim & Margaret Nuehring  
 Kate Osterman, Renee Laudner  
 HOSPITALITY: Confirmation  
 MUSIC: Andrea & Avah Hanig, Ann Wolf  
 MONEY COUNTERS: Sheri Sprung, Tom Madden  
 NURSING HOME: Kate Osterman  
 KC ROSARY: Jim Weaver

**MARCH 31, 2019**

MASS SERVERS: Maci & Mckensie Shupe  
 LECTOR #1: Andrea Hanig LECTOR #2: Kim Thyne  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Lisa Schultz, Dave Weiland  
 Larry & Cathy Degen  
 HOSPITALITY: Brad & Mary Shupe  
 MUSIC: Kaleb Hrubetz, Ann Wolf  
 MONEY COUNTERS: Jill Rowe, Charley Sprung  
 NURSING HOME: Kate Osterman  
 KC ROSARY: Dave Weiland

*Religious Education News*

**MARCH 10th** – No Donuts; Lenten Breakfast will be served after Mass.

**MARCH 17th** – No class and no donuts. Please come enjoy the Irish Fair and remember to arrive on time for your assigned shifts!

**MARCH 24th** – First Reconciliation at 1:00pm.

**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)

**Pastor:** Fr. John Gossman: 641.822.4950 (Rockwell), 641.357.3214 (Clear Lake)  
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**Bulletin:** Items for the bulletin? Email sacredheartrockwellbulletin@gmail.com or call Sarah Johnson: 641.822.3267. Items due Thursday by 12:00pm!