

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

November 10, 2019

Mass Schedule and Intentions:

Sunday, November 10th – 8:00am
+ Ambrose Rooney
Tuesday, November 12th – 5:30pm
+ Betty Larson
Friday, November 15th – 10:15am – Nursing Home
+ Gert Kelley
Sunday, November 17th – 8:00am
+ Vicki Swenson

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, NOVEMBER 17th – Guild Meeting after Mass

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1st – Guild Christmas Painting Party

FELLOWSHIP – Join us after Mass for coffee, rolls, and fellowship. All are welcome!

PARISH MEMBERS WITH COLLEGE AGED CHILDREN – Please give the Religious Education Department your children's name and college or home address **ASAP**, and a picture if possible (so the younger kids see who they are writing to). The Religious Ed kids are planning care packages and notes to be sent to them over the holiday season. Please drop off in office, or email/text Amanda Dick: dickalynne@gmail.com or 641-903-9362. Thank you!

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY COLLECTION is this weekend. Envelopes are attached to the bulletin. Information regarding the collection on the inside of the envelope. Please make check out to Sacred Heart and be as generous as you can.

NCYC TRAVELERS are looking for the Parish's help. They will be heading to Indianapolis, IN, from November 21st - 24th. The group will be going by charter bus. They are asking for snack donations, if you can help, there is a list posted on back of table in church of what is requested. Thank you in advance for your prayers on safe travels and thank you for providing snacks for the kids and chaperones!

4TH DEGREE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will be having their Christmas Party today at the Mason City Columbia Club. All 4th degree members and their spouses are invited. Social hour will be from 1:00pm-2:00pm, with a dinner to follow. Hope to see you there!

GUILD MEETING will be held NEXT Sunday, November 17th, after Mass. All ladies are invited to come. We will discuss the fall dinner, income & expenses, how much and to whom to tithe, as well as Christmas gifts. Will also discuss Guild officers, Promoters, Helpers, and the list of workers. **THANK YOU TO D&L SANITATION** for donating an extra dumpster and the hauling and picking up of the fall dinner garbage (\$160). **COOKIE WALK** – We are planning a Cookie Walk at our parish center on Sunday, December 15th, after Mass. Details to be finalized at the meeting and shared after.

PARKING LOT – The parking lot looks awesome and is so easy to drive and park on! Progress is definitely being made. We have not gotten a bill to date, but we figure we have enough money in the parking lot fund currently to pay for the grading and gravel, etc. However, that means we will be starting over to get donations for the paving of the parking lot, which will hopefully be next spring. **NOTE ABOUT PARKING** - Please leave the lane open up to the drop-off lane so people are able to drive up and drop people off. If we block the lane into the drop-off area, those needing to use it are unable to and it defeats the purpose.

FALL DINNER REPORT – Thanks to everyone who worked, furnished pies, and bake sale items to make the dinner a success again this year! We served 801, which is down 25 from last year.

EPIPHANY PARISH THANKSGIVING BASKETS – As we give thanks with our families this year, please remember those in our community who go without. The need grows every year and we as a Catholic community can help make a difference to families in need. Smithfield Foods has donated the hams to help with this community outreach. Hy-Vee West will work with the Social Justice Committee to provide other items needed for the baskets. The cost of each basket is \$25, however all donations make a difference. Please be generous and place your donation in an envelope clearly marked "Thanksgiving Basket" and place in the collection basket or mail to the parish. If you know of a family in need, please let Fr. Gossman know or contact Epiphany Parish. Deliveries are made in Clear Lake, Ventura, Rockwell, Rock Falls, Plymouth, and Mason City on Sunday, November 24th.

SOCIAL JUSTICE – The Baby Pantry at Epiphany Parish being in need of warm winter clothes for ages newborn through 5 year: coats, snow pants, boots, mittens, hats, scarves, and warm pants, shirts, warm blankets for newborn, etc., for the winter weather. They can be used items, as long as they are clean and in good condition. You can bring any items and leave them in back of church and they will be taken to the Baby Pantry. They will be working with Northern Lights Men's Shelter, as well as the Women's Shelter, again this year for Christmas donations.

CHRISTMAS PAINTING PARTY – Save the date! The Guild will be holding a Painting Party on Sunday, December 1st, in our Parish Center from 5:30pm-7:30pm. The painting options will all be Christmas themes, including a Stocking Holder Sign. We hope to have pictures of our options by next week. Look for more information in next week's bulletin.

CONFIRMATION CLASS – Starting Sunday, January 5th, we will be doing our final weeks of Confirmation Prep and will be for all Confirmation Candidates (Newman students included). The Sponsor Candidate Session is tentatively planned for Sunday, February 16th. More information will be coming in the upcoming weeks. Confirmation will be on Saturday, March 7, 2020, at 1:00pm.

THANK YOU FROM NEWMAN CATHOLIC! Because of your support, we surpassed our God's Portion Day Goal of \$160,000! Thank you to our event sponsors and our Committee Chairs for all of their hard work and dedication. Committee Chairs: Tammy Hrubetz, Terri Swanson, Shannon Anderson, Todd Sheldon, Josh & Kelly Kratz, Frank Fox, Mark Tlusty, Cory Behr, Brain Carlson, Brenda Steidl, Mike Castle, Frank

Hanig, Mary Kelly, Jolene Retterath, Brandi Paulson, Katie Shannon, Tim Worman, Jeanette Cink, and Mike Schutt! To view a full list of sponsors, visit newmancatholic.org, or view the God's Portion Day event on our Facebook Page.

HAWKEYE HARVEST FOOD BANK is always in need of food items, as we get closer to the holiday seasons. There are always baskets in back of church for any donations.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHRISTMAS CARDS are for sale in the back of the church. Keep Christ in Christmas again this year!

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.

WITNESS: read about these items and more in the November 10th issue: Youth of the Archdiocese are gearing up for the 2019 National Catholic Youth Conference; A summary of the latest Pastoral leadership study day; the Christian Family Movement recently celebrated 60 years in Ames; Archbishop Jackels' series on vocations continues; A young women from the U.S. has founded a nonprofit firm that has digitally mapped Catholic resources worldwide.

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BUDGET:	November 3, 2019	BUILDING BALANCE	16,458.34	BUDGET ENVELOPES: Envelope Holders = 150		
Adults	\$4,331.49	<u>Last week's donation</u>	\$100.00	34 Budget + 6 Building + 2 3-in-1 = 42		
Offertory	\$93.00		\$16,558.34			
3-in-1 Collection	\$75.00					
<u>Building</u>	<u>\$100.00</u>					
	\$4,599.49	PARKING LOT FUND = \$61,457.00 (money collected, does not include pledges)				

Religious Education News

TODAY, NOVEMBER 10th – Youth Choir practice from 10:00am-10:15am. **Donuts:** Beth Martinek, Jessica Foreshoe, Andrea Hanig, Amy Pearce

NOVEMBER 17th – Youth Choir practice from 10:00am-10:15am. **Donuts:** Jenny Akins, Karen Brown, Bonnie Hubka, Angela Sturges

NOVEMBER 24th – Youth Choir sings at Mass. Please wear your Religious Education t-shirt. **Donuts:** Beth Janssen, Teri Peterson, Shelly Pitzenberger, Michelle Robison

SAVE THE DATE – Confirmation will be on Saturday, March 7, 2020, at 1:00pm. First Communion will be Sunday, April 26, 2020.

*****DONUTS** (Those responsible for the week are to each bring **3 dozen** donuts, bagels, or muffins, and are in charge of set-up, serving, and clean-up. Please remember, no nuts.)

NOVEMBER 10, 2019

MASS SERVERS: Noah Hrubetz, Jayden Pitzenberger
 LECTOR #1: Sue McLaughlin LECTOR #2: Beth Janssen
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Amanda Dick, Tammy Hrubetz
 Sarah Johnson, Lisa Schultz
 HOSPITALITY: 3rd grade class
 MUSIC: Tiyana Rogers, Ann Wolf
 MONEY COUNTERS: Sheri Sprung, Dan Hrubetz
 NURSING HOME: Kim Thyne & Frank Kelly
 KC ROSARY: Dave Kelley

NOVEMBER 17, 2019

MASS SERVERS: Kael Hanig, Levi Staudt
 LECTOR #1: John Rooney LECTOR #2: Kim Thyne
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: John & Sue McLaughlin
 Jeanne Wogen, Jim Weaver
 HOSPITALITY: 2nd grade class
 MUSIC: Kaleb Hrubetz, Ann Wolf
 MONEY COUNTERS: Tom Madden, Charley Sprung
 NURSING HOME: Renee Laudner
 KC ROSARY: Jarrod Grant

NOVEMBER 24, 2019

MASS SERVERS: Maddie & Brylie Hubka
 LECTOR #1: Charley Sprung LECTOR #2: Matt Reed
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Brad, Mary, & McKenzie Shupe
 Kate Osterman
 HOSPITALITY: Kim Thyne & Frank Tracy
 MUSIC: Youth Choir
 MONEY COUNTERS: Pat Sheldon, Jill Rowe
 NURSING HOME: Kate Osterman
 KC ROSARY: Dale Hubka

DECEMBER 1, 2019

MASS SERVERS: Hayden Johnson, Cole Weiner
 LECTOR #1: Andrea Hanig LECTOR #2: Diane Nelson
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: John & Sue McLaughlin
 Jim Weaver, Dave Weiland
 HOSPITALITY: Les & Sandy Knowles
 MUSIC: Theresa Jeffrey, Ann Wolf
 MONEY COUNTERS: Jill Rowe, John McLaughlin
 NURSING HOME: John & Diane Nelson
 KC ROSARY: Les Knowles

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!