

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

November 8, 2020

Mass Schedule and Intentions:

Sunday, November 8th – 8:00am

+ Julie Bamrick

Thursday, November 12th – 5:30pm

+ Ann Weiner

Sunday, November 15th – 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:

GUILD MEETING – November 15th after Mass

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING – November 17th at 7:00pm

TODAY'S RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps. 63 "My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God."

COVID-19 GUIDELINES – Please follow all guidelines put in place and social distancing to keep everyone safe. These apply to both Sunday and Tuesday Masses. If you have a fever or are not feeling well, please stay home. Masks are required and will be provided to those that do not have one. **Everyone must enter through the North Parish Center doors from the parking lot and have temperatures taken – if you have a fever, you will be asked to leave. All other doors will remain locked.** Pews are will be marked where people can sit to help ensure social distancing. Hand sanitizer will be available and should be used by all. The church will be sanitized prior to and after Mass.

NEWMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS "A WORLD CLASS GALA" VIRTUAL AUCTION – The online auction will run for 2 weeks. Go to newmancatholicfoundation.com/gala for the link to view the items and register to bid!

FALL DINNER REPORT - We served a little over 600 and were out of food by 12:15! We had to turn many people away that were in line. We took in \$6,449.00 at the door and had donations for turkeys and pies of \$2,350.00. Full expense report will be available next week. Thanks to all who helped prepare and serve the meals, the organization was great!

SNOW REMOVAL – We are still in need of someone to move snow for us this winter. It needs to be done on Sunday mornings by 7:15am. Since we are not using the front entrance to the church at this time that would not have to be cleaned that early. The sidewalks and the parking lot would need to be cleaned by 7:15am. Must be at least 18 years old, and have insurance to cover your work. Must have your own equipment – snow blower for sidewalks and bobcat for the parking lot. Would also need to move snow during the week if we have a funeral or have a large amount of snow. Price is negotiable. Please call 641-822-4950 or email h.cahalan@sacredheartrockwell.org

GUILD MEETING – We will hold a meeting after Mass NEXT Sunday, November 15th. We will be discussing Christmas tithing and other business.

NURSING HOME SERVICES – There will continue to be no Masses or communion services scheduled at the nursing home until further notice due to COVID pandemic.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – Next meeting will be Thursday, November 19th, at 7:00pm in Rockford.

BLACKTOP on parking on south and west side of Parish Center cost was \$11,655.45, which was paid out of parking lot funds. The estimate on the parking lot blacktop is \$88,000.00, which we hope to get done next spring. The balance of the parking lot fund after paying the \$11,655.45 bill is \$51,763.88.

HAWKEYE HARVEST FOOD BANK is always in need of food donations and especially during the upcoming holiday season. Please leave donations in the baskets in the back of church. Thank you to all the people who continue to make donations. It is always appreciated when I bring the items up to the food bank. The last donation weighed in at 40lbs.

DOANE FAMILY – We gave a check from Sacred Heart to the Doanes in the amount of \$805.00. The checks made out to the Doane family were deposited in the Doane family benefit account at the local bank in the amount of \$200.00. All was greatly appreciated by them.

BAPTISM CLASS – The next baptism class will be Sunday November 15th at 12:30 pm at St. Joseph's Church in Mason City. Pre-registration is REQUIRED by calling the church office by Thursday, November 12th at 641-423-5001. Masks & Social distancing will be required. You must take the baptism class before baptism at Sacred Heart if it is your 1st or 2nd child.

MINISTERS – If any of the various ministers are comfortable coming to Mass at this time and can serve as a minister, please let Helen know and she will add you to the schedule again: 641-822-4950 OR h.cahalan@sacredheartrockwell.org.

† † † With Gratitude We Give † † †				
BUDGET:	NOVEMBER 1, 2020	BUILDING BALANCE	\$10,472.77	BUDGET ENVELOPES: Envelope Holders = 150
Adults	\$1,970.00	Last week's donations	\$215.00	20 Budget + 6 Building = 26
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Building	\$215.00			
	\$1,395.00			

PARKING LOT FUND = \$51,763.88 (money collected plus savings)