

# Sacred Heart Catholic Church

April 4, 2021

## Mass Schedule and Intentions:

Sunday, April 4th – 8:00am – Easter Sunday

For the parishioners

Thursday, April 8th – 5:30pm

+ Joanie McLaughlin

Sunday, April 11th – 8:00am – First Communion

For the First Communion Class

*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:

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14th – Senior Supper

SUNDAY, JUNE 13th – Irish Fair (Date change)

**EASTER BLESSINGS** to all from Sacred Heart!

**TODAY'S RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** *"This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad."*

**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.

**NO FELLOWSHIP** or Religious Education after Mass today. We will resume next week.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to the Second Grade Class who recently celebrated their First Reconciliation! Please congratulate Jack Grant, Gavin Koppen, Brelynn Nelson, Oliver Orozco, Breille Schmidt, and Brigham Sturges. They will be celebrating their First Communion NEXT Sunday, April 11th, at 8am mass. Please keep them in your prayers.

**EASTER FLOWERS** – In memory of: Harold & Ruth Weaver; Weiner, Johnson, Mansmith, & Victorine Grandparents; Tom Wolf; Adam Hanig; Kuennen & Cahalan families; Jim & Renee Martin; Degen & Scholl families; LeRoy & Mary Behr, John Welling; deceased of Osterman & Schmall families

**RICE BOWLS** – If you have a rice bowl to turn in, please put it in the basket with the Sunday collections.

**SACRED HEART SENIOR SUPPER** – Sacred Heart will be honoring our graduating seniors on Wednesday, April 14th, at 6:00pm, with dinner and a speaker. Our seniors are: Nate Akins, Levi Janssen, Colin Martinek, Colin Reed, and Tiyana Rogers.

**IRISH FAIR** will be held on Sunday, June 13th (change in date). The majority of the fair will be held outside, but we will keep the lunch inside the Parish Center. We are able to social distance inside for the lunch. If anyone has any donations they would like to give to the fair for the raffle or the auction, please leave them in the office. If you have any ideas of games to do outside let the committee know at 641-822-4950. If you want to become involved in planning the Irish fair, contact the office. More details later!

**PARKING LOT RAFFLE** – A raffle to raise funds for the parking lot will be happening soon. Tickets will sell for \$100.00 each, only selling 300, giving out \$10,000.00 in prizes and \$20,000.00 to the parking lot fund! This would bring us to around \$75,000.00 for the parking lot. Watch for information when the tickets will be out and be ready to buy some. We will still be short about \$25,000.00, unless the bid from last year has gone up. At the Parish Council/Finance meeting on 3/11, the general consensus was it was time to move ahead finishing the parking lot. It has been 3 years since the pledges went to the parishioners for the project. Now is the time to make your donations to the parking lot fund!

**APRIL MINISTRY LIST** is available in the back of the church. Please pick one up if you did not get one last weekend. If you cannot be there on your scheduled date, please find a replacement. If you cannot find one, call the office 641-822-4950.

**MEN'S HOMELESS SHELTER** is in need of items year-round. Please consider donating cleaning supplies of all kinds, laundry soap pods, dish soap pods, personal soap, beard trimmers, briefs & t-shirts in sizes XL & XXL, Sweatshirts (zippered or without) in sizes XL & XXL, and sheets for twin beds. There is a tote next to the food donation basket if anyone would like to donate any of the items. All donations would be appreciated!

**OFFICE POSITION** – We are still looking for someone interested in learning the jobs the office position entails. For a full list of duties, stop by the office. CEMETERY is now taken care of in the office, but if someone was interested in handling the cemetery – sale of lots, etc. – it could certainly be worked out. Call 641-822-4950 or email h.cahalan@sacredheartrockwell.org, if interested.

**WEST FORK FOOD PANTRY** – This food pantry is open to residents of Franklin County or residents of the West Fork School District. Need to bring a current bill or ID to verify residency. It is located out of Zion St. John Lutheran Church at 422 West Sherman in Sheffield. The phone number is 641-892-4010. If in need, please bring bags, laundry baskets, or boxes to carry your food. The Food Bank is open the 1st Thursday of each month 10:00am-12:00pm and the 3rd Thursday of each month from 3:30pm to 5:30pm.



**HAWKEYE HARVEST FOOD BANK** in Mason City is always in need of donated items. Since we did not have Mass during most of Advent, we did not get a lot of donations. Lent is coming soon; hopeful we can make more of an effort to donate items toward the food bank. There are baskets in the entry to the church to leave any items you want to donate.



*With Gratitude We Give*



**BUDGET**

**March 28, 2021**

Adults	\$792.00
Offertory	\$120.00
Flowers	\$20.00
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$932.00</b>

**Building**

Balance:	\$13,070.28
Donations:	\$0
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$13,078.28</b>

**Parking Lot**

Balance:	\$55,208.88
Donations:	\$0
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$55,208.88</b>

**APRIL 4, 2021 – EASTER SUNDAY**

LECTOR: Kim Thyne  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Tim & Margaret Nuehring  
 MUSIC: Theresa Jeffrey, Ann Wolf  
 MONEY COUNTERS: Jill Rowe, Sheri Sprung

**APRIL 11, 2021 – FIRST COMMUNION**

LECTOR: Sue McLaughlin  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Amanda Dick, Cassuandra Reed  
 MUSIC: Tiyana Rogers, Theresa Jeffrey, Ann Wolf  
 MONEY COUNTERS: Margaret Nuehring, Tom Madden

**APRIL 18, 2021**

LECTOR: Dave Weiland  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Jim Weaver, Renee Laudner  
 MUSIC: Matt Reed, Ann Wolf  
 MONEY COUNTERS: Dan Hrubetz, Paul Rowe

**APRIL 25, 2021**

LECTOR: Charlie Sprung  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Pat McLaughlin, Pat Sheldon  
 MUSIC: Kim Thyne, Ann Wolf  
 MONEY COUNTERS: Charlie Sprung, Pat Sheldon

