

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

Easter Sunday ~ April 9, 2023

Mass Schedule and Intentions:

Sunday, April 9th – 8:00am – Easter Sunday
+ Tom Wolf
Thursday, April 13th – No Mass
+ Joanie McLaughlin
Sunday, April 16th – 8:00am
+ Clem Osterman

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, APRIL 16th – First Communion

SACRED HEART WISHES you and your families a Happy Easter!

AN EASTER MESSAGE FROM FR. JOSH – Every once in a while I like to think of different occurrences throughout history that have been influential. So influential that they have caused people to change their minds on certain beliefs, change their behaviors, and make drastic lifestyle changes. Events like different wars, powerful speeches, and even miracles have been so powerful and impactful that they have changed people's lives forever. I find these occurrences to be interesting in and of themselves, but still no war, speech, event or even miracle has come close to the impact on the course of history than the Resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. This event that we celebrate today has begun something that cannot be undone and we are a part of it! We are a part of the greatest movement in salvation history, begun by the greatest miracle, and preserved by the power of the Holy Spirit. We are not celebrating just another "cool thing that Jesus did", we are celebrating the greatest thing to have been done in history; and he did it for us! Happy Easter! May we always remember the true glory of this great day! – Fr. Josh Link

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION – The following will be receiving their First Holy Communion NEXT Sunday: Berkley Petersen, Kynnley Nelson, Ledger Sturges, Madden Pearce, and Jase Smith. Please keep them in your prayers.

THANK YOU to the Behr Family for the donation of a peace lily to Sacred Heart!

THANK YOU to the Knights of Columbus, with help from the Guild, for putting on the wonderful Fish Frys during the Lenten Season! Thank you to all who came out and supported them, as well. They were a great hit! Income from the four suppers was \$6,783.00 and the expenses were \$4,757.86 for a profit of \$2,025.14.

IRISH FAIR - The income from the Irish Fair was \$24,637.46 and the expenses were \$7,461.41 for a profit of \$17,176.05! This money goes into the Religious Education fund. This money can be used for anything pertaining to Religious Education for the kids, including the upkeep of the Parish Center and the Church since the classes are held in the classrooms and the church is used for their music. This can also be used for any Religious Education programs for the adults of the parish, along with tuition to the Newman Catholic grade school students and also, if needed, could be used for our assessment to Newman. What an awesome year again. Thanks to the ladies on the committee who have been doing this for a long time. Also, thank you to anyone who goes out and solicits items for the sack auction and the live auction. That is not always a fun job to do but without the items we would not make the money we do. Everything on the sack auction and the live auction are donated. Thank you to everyone who donated any items and also to those who give cash donations. Our cash donations this year were \$1,025.00. AWESOME!!!

GUILD NEWS – Thank you to the ladies who prepared and served the breakfasts during Lent. It is obvious that they are very popular. The various menus are a hit with everyone. The object of the breakfasts is not to make lots of money, but to provide additional fellowship, but with the generous donations each weekend, we always seem to come out on the plus side. NEW GUILD BOOKS are on the table going into the Waking Area for the ladies to pick up.

NEW MINISTRY LISTS for April, May & June are on the table going into the Parish Center. If you are a minister please take one home with you.

EPIPHANY PARISH in Mason City is looking for a Leader for Parish Faith. This position is responsible for the parish sacramental and religious education programs for high school youth, adult faith sharing, adult ministries, and collaborative efforts in your ministry. Bachelor's Degree in Theology/Religious education or related field is required. This is a full-time position with benefits. Starting date is negotiable but no later than July 1, 2023. Application forms are available on parish website: www.epiphanyparish.org/employment-opportunities or by contacting the parish office at 641-423-5001. To apply please submit a cover letter, application and resume to Carol Bruns at c.bruns@dbqarch.org or mail to 300 5th St SE, Mason City, IA 50401.

WEST FORK FOOD PANTRY – If you or someone you know is in need, their hours are Thursdays from 2:00pm–5:00pm and the first Saturday of the month from 10:00am–12:00pm. They are located on Main Street in Sheffield. Their phone number is 641-892-4010. You must be a resident of the West Fork School District to be eligible for receiving food.

HAWKEYE HARVEST FOOD BANK is always in need of donated items. There are baskets in the entry to the church to leave any items you want to donate.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER – Would you like to relive the excitement, romance and passion from your honeymoon? Rekindle that spark on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend Experience. The upcoming dates are April 22nd-23rd in Epworth, Iowa, and September 22nd-24th in Dubuque, Iowa. Call 563-920-9419 for more information or sign up at wwme.org. Call 563-920-9419 for more information or sign up at wwme.org.

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<u>BUDGET</u>	<u>April 2, 2023</u>	<u>BUILDING FUND</u>
Adults	\$3,235.00	Balance:
Offertory	\$75.00	Donations
Building	\$650.00	TOTAL:
Easter	\$150.00	\$19,916.91
TOTAL:	\$4,110.00	\$650.00
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Religious Education News

SUNDAY, APRIL 9th – No class – Happy Easter.
SUNDAY, APRIL 16th – First Communion. *Donuts: Janssen & Martinek Families*

****Donuts* – The Guild will provide the donuts, please assist with serving and clean-up.

APRIL 9, 2023 – 8:00am – EASTER SUNDAY
 LECTOR: Steve Abbas
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Tammy Hrubetz, Pat Sheldon
 Sarah Johnson, Renee Laudner

 MUSIC: Easter Choir
 SERVERS: Brylie & Norah Hubka
 GREETERS/USHERS: Les & Sandy Knowles
 MONEY COUNTERS: Margaret Nuehring, Mary Schulz
 ROSARY: Les Knowles

APRIL 16, 2023 – 8:00am
 LECTOR: Andrea Hanig
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Amanda Dick, Cassandra Reed
 Tim & Margaret Nuerhing

 MUSIC: Praise Team
 SERVERS: Owen & Beau Hanig
 GREETERS/USHERS: First Communion Class
 MONEY COUNTERS: Paul Rowe, Charley Sprung
 ROSARY: Dave Weiland

APRIL 23, 2023 – 8:00am
 LECTOR: Jessica Foreshoe
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Cathy Degen, Kate Osterman
 Tim & Margaret Nuehring

 MUSIC: Kaleh Hrubetz, Ann Wolf
 SERVERS: Jayden & Jase Pitzenberger
 GREETERS/USHERS: Tony & Renee Laudner
 MONEY COUNTERS: Margaret Nuehring, Mary Schulz
 ROSARY: Jeff Schultz

APRIL 30, 2023 – 8:00am
 LECTOR: Beth Janssen
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: John & Sue McLaughlin
 Pat McLaughlin, Jim Weaver

 MUSIC: Matt Reed, Ann Wolf
 SERVERS: Ellie Dahl, Ryann Orton
 GREETERS/USHERS: John McLaughlin, Charley Sprung
 MONEY COUNTERS: Dan Hrubetz, Pat Sheldon
 ROSARY: Bill Martin

Pastor: Fr. Josh Link: 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!

HE IS
Risen