

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

November 12, 2023

Mass Schedule and Intentions:

Sunday, November 12th – 8:00am (Rosary at 7:30am)
+ Eleanor Thilges
Monday, November 13th – 10:30am
+ Funeral Mass for Joe Bamrick
Thursday, November 16th – NO MASS (Fr. Josh will be gone)
Friday, November 17th – NO MASS at Rockwell Nursing Home
Sunday, November 19th – 8:00am (Rosary at 7:30am)
+ Ruth Weaver

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:

TODAY – NCYC Meeting after Mass
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16th – SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19th – NCYC
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16th – Guild Meeting
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16th – Knights of Columbus

JOIN US for coffee, rolls, and fellowship after Mass.
All are welcome!

CONGRATULATIONS to Kinsley Sue Abbas daughter of Thomas and Mari Abbas and the granddaughter of Steve & Jan Abbas. Kinsley is being baptized today at Sacred Heart.

NCYC – Please send prayers and good thoughts to our Sacred Heart Crew as they leave bright and early this Thursday morning, November 16th, and returning next Sunday, November 19th. This year's attendees are Avah Hanig, Hannah Hensley, Brylie Hubka, Paige Johnson, Lane Kollman, Max Martinek, Eastyn Petersen, and Tess Weiner; along with their chaperones, Amanda Dick, Bonnie Hubka, Beth Martinek, Becky Reimers, and Fr. Josh. **There will be a short meeting after Mass this morning** to go through the final details for packing and last minute information. This meeting is for both kids and parents. Tuesday night we will be putting together the NCYC snacks for the trip. If anyone would like to join us to help out, we will be meeting at 7:00pm to organize and pack the items for NCYC. Thanks to everyone for their support, it is greatly appreciated!!!

GUILD MEETING – This Thursday, November 16th, at 6:00pm. On the agenda: Turkey Dinner, Cookie Walk, Tithing, Christmas gifts. Ladies, please plan to attend.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – Date change for the November meeting, which will be held this Thursday, November 16th, at 7:00pm here in our Parish Center. There will not be a meeting in December. Starting in January the meetings will be the fourth Thursday of the month, meeting at 6:30pm instead of 7:00pm.

NO MASS the next two Thursdays. On November 9th, Father will be gone and on November 16th as he will be at NCYC.

SHARING THE HARVEST – The Rockwell Police and Fire Departments are partnering to bring Rockwell families in need a Thanksgiving meal. Want to help? Donations can be made to the Rockwell Fire Department. Venmo available: @RockwellFD or contact a local Volunteer Fireman.

LECTOR BOOKS FOR 2024 are on the table going into the wake area. The readings start with the 1st Sunday of Advent which is December 3rd. If you are a lector please take one home with you. Also, there are schedules for ministers for November and December if you didn't get one.

CONGRATULATIONS to Kay Stiles. Kay was the lucky winner of the quilt donated by Marilyn Ermer at our Fall Dinner.

SOCIAL JUSTICE – The kickoff for the Northern Lights Men's Shelter is Sunday, November 19th, with the Giving Tree in the back of church with tags to take and bring back for baskets. There will also be tags on the tree again this year for monetary donations if you prefer to give money – we use this for the dinner we cater and for any items that are still in need for the baskets. We will be delivering the baskets to the shelter on Saturday, December 23rd and having HyVee cater a Christmas dinner for them at noon on that day. Jesse, the Director of the Shelter will be here on November 19th to speak about the shelter and what Sacred Heart has done for them over the years and the impact this has had on the men that are there at the time of the baskets being brought. We thank you in advance for your generosity as this campaign has always been a wonderful one. We will run this campaign from November 19th through December 10th so we have plenty of time to get things together.

FALL DINNER – We sold out and served 700 meals give or take a few. Numbers have gone down from previous years. Income – dinners \$9,184.00; donations for turkeys \$2,354.00 – less expenses to date \$8,433.12, leaving a profit of \$3,104.88. Quilt tickets \$447.00. Guild Dues collected so far \$1,250.00. Thank you to everyone who donated and/or worked that weekend!

ARCHDIOCESE ONE SPECIAL APPEAL UPDATE – If you have not made your pledge to Archdiocese One collection there is still time. There are flyers on the tables by the bulletins to refresh your memory regarding the Archdiocese One Appeal. The deadline for gifts or pledges is December 31, 2023.

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE will be on Saturday December 16th, at 10:00am. Mark your calendars.

OUR FAITH STO – Help families and help yourself by providing the gift of Catholic education! Your donation to STO gives the gift of Catholic school education to Iowa families who might not have the opportunity. If you file and Iowa income tax return, your contributions to STO qualify for a 75% tax credit, saving you BIG money on your taxes. Visit www.ourfaithsto.org or call 563-552-0297 for more information.

FOOD BANKS – 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.

FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK! Did you know we have a Facebook page? Look for Sacred Heart Catholic Church Rockwell!

Religious Education News

TODAY – Choir practice first part of class. NCYC meeting after Mass. **Donuts:** Abell/McChesney, Brown/Orton, & Williams Families
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19th – **Donuts:** B. Pitzemberger, Smith, & S. Staudt/Gatton Families

***Donuts – Please bring 4 dozen donuts, bagels, or muffins and assist with serving and clean-up. No nuts or peanut butter, please

† † † *With Gratitude We Give* † † †

<u>BUDGET</u>	<u>November 5, 2023</u>	<u>BUILDING FUND</u>	
Adults	\$2,090.00	Balance:	\$7,117.78
Offertory	\$103.00	Donations	\$555.00
Building	\$555.00	TOTAL:	\$7,672.78
World Mission	\$20.00		
TOTAL:	\$2,768.00		

NOVEMBER 12, 2023 – 8:00am

LECTOR: Jessica Foreshoe
EUCARISTIC MINISTERS: Renee Laudner, Sarah Johnson
Lisa Schultz, Kim Tracy
MUSIC: Kaleb Hrubetz, Ann Wolf
SERVERS: Josie Janssen, Jayden Pitzemberger
GREETERS/USHERS: 4th Grade Class
MONEY COUNTERS: Margaret Nuehring, Mary Schulz
ROSARY: Les Knowles

NOVEMBER 19, 2023 – 8:00am

LECTOR: Steve Abbas
EUCARISTIC MINISTERS: Tim & Margaret Nuehring
Jim Weaver, Dave Weiland
MUSIC: Andrea & Avah Hanig, Ann Wolf
SERVERS: Owen & Beau Hanig
GREETERS/USHERS: PreK & 1st Grade Class
MONEY COUNTERS: Pat McLaughlin, Pat Sheldon
ROSARY: Jeff Schultz

NOVEMBER 23, 2023 – 9:30am – Thanksgiving Day

LECTOR: Steve Abbas
EUCARISTIC MINISTERS: John & Sue McLaughlin
Kate Osterman, Lisa Schultz
MUSIC: Ann Wolf
SERVERS: Brylie & Norah Hubka
GREETERS/USHERS: Volunteers

NOVEMBER 26, 2023 – 8:00am

LECTOR: Charley Sprung
EUCARISTIC MINISTERS: Amanda Dick, Cathy Degen
Tammy Hrubetz, Pat Sheldon
MUSIC: Kim Tracy, Ann Wolf
SERVERS: Makenna & Crayton Dick
GREETERS/USHERS: Bill & Denise Martin
MONEY COUNTERS: Les Knowles, Charley Sprung
ROSARY: Joe McLaughlin

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!