

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

May 5, 2024

Mass Schedule and Intentions:

Sunday, May 5th – 8:00am (Rosary at 7:30am)
+ Rev. Jerry Kopacek
Thursday, May 9th – 5:30pm
(Adoration & Confession beginning at 5:00pm)
+ Bernice Kirk
Sunday, May 12th – 8:00am (Rosary at 7:30am)
+ Annette Scholl

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, MAY 12th – Mother's Day Breakfast sponsored by the Social Justice Committee

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

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER – Jesus' commandment is that His disciples love one another, even to the point of laying down their lives, if necessary, what gifts of myself – my skills and talents, my time and resources – will best demonstrate my love for God's people?

CARING PREGNANCY CENTER CAMPAIGN – The Social Justice Committee is doing another campaign for the Caring Pregnancy Center from Mother's Day to Father's Day with another bottle drive. This year we decided to have a couple bigger bottles for donations rather than the smaller individual ones. Welcome to Jo Hafemann who is here today to speak on behalf of this organization. We will kick-off the campaign NEXT Sunday, Mother's Day (May 12th), with a free will offering breakfast – **A GREAT WAY TO CELEBRATE ALL MOMS!** There will be homemade egg dishes, homemade rolls, lots of treats, along with a yogurt bar. The bottles will be out until Father's Day for any that wish to donate. If you are writing a check, please make it payable to the Caring Pregnancy Center so we can give all the money and checks directly to them. We appreciate all the support Sacred Heart has been providing for the campaigns throughout the year. Thank you in advance!

THANK YOU to the Knights of Columbus for their generous donation to the church roof fund of \$1,000.00!

FEAST OF THE ASCENSION is Thursday, May 9th. We commemorate Jesus' ascension into Heaven on this day, 40 days after Easter.

DUE TO THE OVERWHELMING GENEROSITY of our Parish and community from the free will offerings from our Lenten Fish Fries, the Knights of Columbus were happy to pay it forward by donating to some great local entities. We sent checks to Sacred Heart for their roof fund, Holy Name (Rockford) for their kitchen remodel fund, Amy's Food Pantry (Rockford), West Fork Food Pantry, the Caring Pregnancy Center, and the Epiphany Baby Pantry! The Knights again would like to thank everyone who enjoyed the fish and the Ladies Guild for all their help and look forward to doing it all over again next year!

TOGETHER – Attached to the bulletin today is the monthly brochure from the Archdiocese of Dubuque. The topic this month is on ordinations. Please take time to read it.

THANK YOU for remembering me in so many ways on my "special" birthday. It was a beautiful weekend, thanks to our family and others. It was deeply appreciated. – *Kate Osterman*

THANK YOU! On April 14th, with your help to raise money for the Alzheimer's Association, we were able to raise \$1,800 at our bake sale! This money will be donated to the North Iowa Walk to End Alzheimer's, which will be held September 15th at NIACC. All are welcome to join Sheryl's Squad in the fight for the cure. Thank you all so much for your time and generosity, it is greatly appreciated! – *Jayce Weiner & the Social Justice Committee*

NURSING HOME MASSES – On the third Friday of each month, Father has a 10:15am Mass at the Rockwell Nursing Home. The Mass is open to anyone who wants to attend, and you are encouraged to attend if you are able. There is also a 9:00am Mass at the Sheffield Nursing Home on the first Friday of each month.

CHRIST OUR LIFE CATHOLIC CONFERENCE "For Our Searching Souls" will be held September 28th–29th at Wells Fargo Arena in Des Moines. See the bulletin board for more information, as well as a list of hotels.

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.

MARRIED COUPLES – A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend Experience is like Springtime. It is a weekend of fresh air, the rebirth of romance and new beginnings. If you'd like to make your marriage even more special than it already is - call now! For

more information or to sign up, go to wwme.org or call Greg & Denise at 563-920-9419. Upcoming dates: September 27th–29th in Dubuque; and November 8th–10th in Holstein.

Religious Education News

Check back throughout the summer for events that may be happening!

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BUDGET

Adults: \$1,660.00
Offertory: \$175.00
Building: \$125.00
Church Roof: \$1,325.00
TOTAL: \$3,285.00

April 28, 2024

BUILDING FUND

Balance: **\$7,073.61***
Donations: \$125.00
TOTAL: \$7,198.61
**Correction from last week*

CHURCH ROOF FUND

Balance: **\$14,423.89**
Donations: \$1,325.00
TOTAL: \$15,748.89

SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2024 – 8:00am

LECTOR: Kim Tracy
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Amanda Dick, Renee Laudner
Sarah Johnson, Lisa Schultz
MUSIC: Kaleb Hrubetz, Ann Wolf
SERVERS: Owen & Beau Hanig
GREETERS/USHERS: John McLaughlin, Charley Sprung
MONEY COUNTERS: Jill Rowe, Sheri Sprung
ROSARY: Bill Martin

SUNDAY, MAY 12, 2024 – 8:00am – Mother's Day

LECTOR: Steve Abbas
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: John & Sue McLaughlin
Jim Weaver, Dave Weiland
MUSIC: Kim Tracy, Ann Wolf
SERVERS: Byrlie & Norah Hubka, Sophia Grant
GREETERS/USHERS: Bill & Denise Martin
MONEY COUNTERS: Pat McLaughlin, Mary Schulz
ROSARY: Les Knowles

SUNDAY, MAY 19, 2024 – 8:00am

LECTOR: Jessica Foreshoe
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Tammy Hrubetz, Renee Laudner
Sarah Johnson, Kate Osterman
MUSIC: Andrea & Avah Hanig, Ann Wolf
SERVERS: Josie Janssen, Max Martinek, Kynnley Nelson
GREETERS/USHERS: Frank & Kim Tracy
MONEY COUNTERS: Dan Hrubetz, Tom Madden
ROSARY: Bob Ermer

SUNDAY, MAY 26, 2024 – 8:00am

LECTOR: Charley Sprung
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Tim & Margaret Nuehring
Cassundra Reed, Kim Tracy
MUSIC: Andrea & Avah Hanig, Ann Wolf
SERVERS: Yuritz & Oliver Orozco
GREETERS/USHERS: Bob & Marilyn Ermer
MONEY COUNTERS: Margaret Nuehring, Mary Schulz
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: 641-425-4896. Items due Thursday by 12:00pm!

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