

# *The Catholic Communities of Cherokee and Holstein*

*February 23, 2020*



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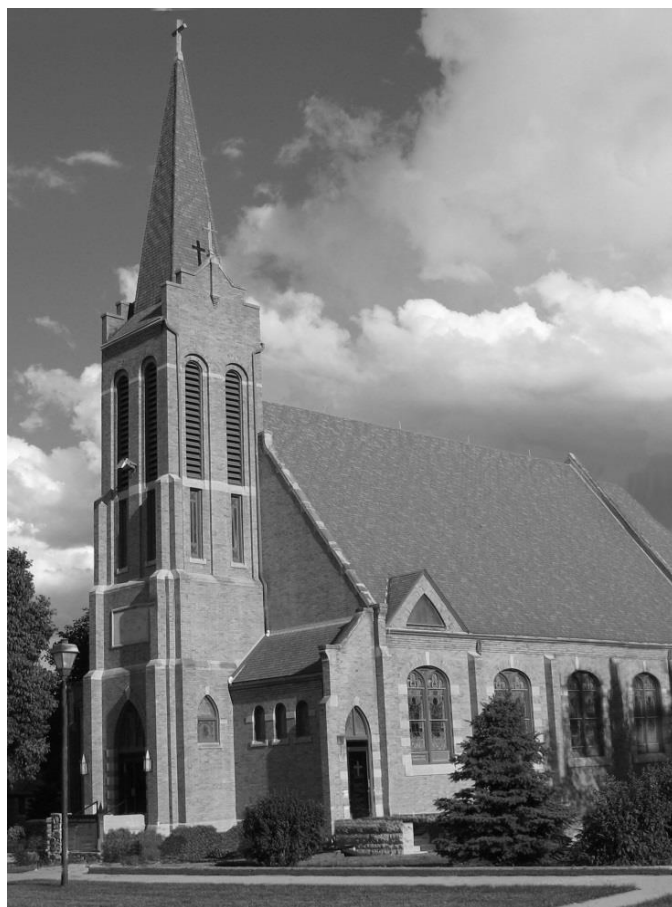
Mass Schedule:

Saturday: Cherokee 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: Holstein 8:30 a.m.

Sunday: Cherokee 10:30 a.m.

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**THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF CHEROKEE AND HOLSTEIN**  
**FEBRUARY 23, 2020**  
**SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**SACRAMENT & PARISH INFORMATION**

**RECONCILIATION:** Before Mass and by appointment.

**BAPTISM:** Parents must attend Baptism Class. Register with Michelle Wilson at 712-229-0299.

**MARRIAGE:** Contact the parish office 9 mos. in advance.

**COMMUNION and ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Please call your parish office or contact Fr. Mark.

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** Contact the parish office.

**BULLETIN DEADLINE:** Noon on Wednesday.

**MASS INTENTIONS for the coming week:**

2/24	Mon.	8:00 a.m.	Mabel Parrott (OLGC)
2/25	Tues.	8:00 a.m.	Matt George (IC)
2/26	Wed.	8:00 a.m.	John & Phyllis Jaminet (OLGC)
		5:30 p.m.	Bartolo Bustos (IC)
		7:15 p.m.	Owen & Eileen Hiniker (OLGC)
2/27	Thur.	8:00 a.m.	Terry Langholdt (IC)
2/28	Fri.	8:00 a.m.	Cletus Henke Family (OLGC)
2/29	Sat.	5:00 p.m.	Jack & June Perrin (IC)
3/1	Sun.	8:30 a.m.	Parish Families (OLGC)
		10:30 a.m.	Leo & Connie Schoo (IC)

**CRMC: Mon. - Tues.** Gert Selk,  
**Wed.** Kathy Hupke, **Thurs.** Fr. Mark,  
**Fri. - Sun.** Joyce Bechtel

**Rosary: Mon.** Accura 1:15, **Tues.** Cherokee Specialty  
 Care 10:30, **Wed.** Careage Hills 10:30,  
**Thurs.** Aurelia Accura 10:45, **Fri.** Gardens 9:30

**MASS MINISTERS**

**Wed., Feb. 26 – 5:30 p.m.** **Cherokee**

**Reader** – Joyce Bechtel

**Cantor** – Mary Meyers

**Holy Communion** – Debbie Courtright, Joyce Bechtel\*, Sue Bakker\*, Jeremy Jensen, Cheryl Kaskey, Sr. Janice

**Greeters/Gift Bearers** – Mick & Sue Bakker

**Servers** – Adam Kohn, Tyler Kohn

**Ushers** – Doug Davis, Warren Mitchell

**Wed., Feb. 26 – 7:15 p.m.** **Holstein**

**Readers** – Paul Ahlers, Diane Gardalen

**Cantor** – Joyce Galvin

**Sequencer** – Morgan Todd w/ Natalie Madsen

**Holy Communion** – Pat Cronin\*, Carol Pauley\*, Tom Galvin\*, Alice Wittrock, Mary Kay Todd

**Hospitality**–Lance Juelfs Family

**Servers** – Kate Kofmehl, Luke Whitmer

**Sacristan** – Tom Galvin

**Usher** – Jerry Cronin

**Counters** – Matt Forristal, Linda Niemeier

(\*distribute ashes)

**Sat., Feb. 29 – 5 p.m.**

**Cherokee**

**Reader** – Judy Carlson

**Cantor** – Laura Jones

**Holy Communion** – Sue Bakker, Bob & Cindy Haselhoff, Jerome & Patsy Day, Cindy Davis

**Greeters/Gift Bearers** – Lonnie & Sherri Benson

**Servers** – Joe Anderson, Josh Lauck

**Ushers** – Bob Craig, Doug Davis

**Sun., Mar. 1 – 8:30 a.m.**

**Holstein**

**Readers** – Mary Ahlers, Laura Pariseau

**Cantor** – Abbey Leuschen

**Sequencer** – Bethany Pariseau

**Holy Communion** – Bob Galvin (1), Jerry Cronin, Dustin Winkel (2), Diane Gardalen, Scott Phelps (3)

**Hospitality**–Dustin Winkel Family

**Servers** – Jacob Friedmann, Dayne Winkel

**Sacristan** – Jerry Cronin

**Usher** – Brian Cronin

**Counters** – Pat Cronin, Laura Pariseau

**Rosary** – Bob Galvin

**Sun., Mar. 1 – 10:30 a.m.**

**Cherokee**

**Reader** – Warren Mitchell

**Cantor** – Mary Meyers

**Holy Communion** –Mary Berger, Deb Anderson, Suzanne Torrey, Leo & Kathy Hupke, Randy Husman

**Greeters/Gift Bearers** – Mary Tuttle & Family

**Servers** – Ireland Kennedy, Michael Swain

**Ushers** – Shirley Staver, David Zanfes

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**

**IC**

**Feb. 16**

**Weekly Total:** \$5,477.71 - Envelopes \$4,022.34, Children \$17.37, Loose \$247, Major Repair \$996, CAP \$20, Religious Ed \$100, Candlesticks \$75. **DAA:** Goal \$41,803, Pledged \$28,787.50, Paid \$24,806, Progress to \$ goal 68.86%, Pledge cards needed 453, Cards returned 229, Progress to card goal 50.55%.

**OLGC**

**Feb. 16**

**Weekly Total:** \$1,596 - Envelopes \$1,535, Loose \$61. **DAA:** Goal \$9,056, Pledged \$6,997.25, Paid \$6,345.25, Progress to \$ goal 77.27%, Pledge cards needed 105, Cards returned 55, Progress to card goal 52.38%. **Capital campaign:** Goal \$350,000.00, Pledges: \$445,312.00, Amount received: \$317,588.

**OF INTEREST TO BOTH PARISHES**

**FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR:**

Today is the Seventh (7th) Sunday in Ordinary Time. Jesus expands on the law that His followers knew well. As God loves all people without partiality – the bad and the good, the just and the unjust – so are all who follow him to do. Certainly, this can be difficult, but it is not impossible. For by Christ's sacrifice, we have been made children of the Father. With His help, and God's grace, we are capable of striving for the perfection in love to which we are called.

Lent begins this Wednesday. Most of the blessed palms that were brought to church have been burned to be used for the ashes. EMOHC with an \* will assist with the distribution of ashes. There are free materials in the church entrances for your Lenten prayer and devotions including an insert listing most of the activities from now until Pentecost Sunday.

Thank you to everyone who has returned your Together As One/DAA pledge card. Please keep those coming in so we may hit our 100% returned cards goal and our monetary goal.

**Please remember your parish in your will.....Your bequest is a testimony to your faith in our future.**

Fr. Mark

**Liturgy Matters:** The Rite of Baptism for Children has been re-translated from Latin to English, as we did for the Mass in 2011 and Matrimony in 2016. Now called the Order of Baptism for Children, we may now begin using this revised Rite before it is mandatory on April 12<sup>th</sup>. While the ritual remains the same, some of the words have changed to better match the original Latin text. Listen carefully for this change the next time you attend a baptism of a child.

**You've Got 40 Days, Who Will You Become?** Possibilities are everywhere! Big possibilities. Small possibilities. Amazing Possibilities. God sees them all. And the Saints are ready to help you see them, too. Join Matthew Kelly and the Dynamic Catholic Team for another incredible journey through their Best Lent Ever daily video reflections. Because Lent isn't about what you give up. It's about who you become. Make this the Best Lent of Your Life in 3 Easy Steps: 1. Sign up ([www.dynamiccatholic.com](http://www.dynamiccatholic.com)) 2. Watch videos 3. Be Awesome and become the Best-Version-of-Yourself.

**Save The Dates:**

Tuesday March 10, 5-7 p.m.: "The Light Is On For You"  
Saturday March 28: Women's Conference in Storm Lake  
Saturday April 4: Men's Conference in Le Mars  
Saturday April 12, 8:30 p.m.: Easter Vigil in Cherokee  
Friday September 25: Pipe Organ Concert with Arjan Breukhaven in Cherokee  
September 26-27: Christ Our Life Catholic Regional Conference in Des Moines

**Medugorje Pilgrimage** with Father Joseph Galic OFM April 27<sup>th</sup> through May 11<sup>th</sup>. Beautiful, spiritually uplifting, exciting and fun! If interested, contact Sue Bakker 712-229-5808 for details.

**IC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**IC Parish Prayer Chain:** Call Gert Selk 712-229-1756 to put prayers (illness/other) on prayer chain.

**Congratulations** to Don Hillman and David Zanfes who made the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree in the Knights of Columbus on Sunday, February 16<sup>th</sup> in Storm Lake.

**Ash Wednesday Fellowship:** There will be a family dinner of tuna casserole and mac & cheese after the 5:30 Mass. The Faith Formation children will eat 1<sup>st</sup> so they can go to class. A free will donation will be accepted.

**Holy Week choir rehearsal:** To all high school students and adults interested in sharing their singing abilities, please join us in the choir for the Holy Thursday (April 9<sup>th</sup>), Easter Vigil (April 11<sup>th</sup>) and Easter Morning (April 12<sup>th</sup>) Masses. Rehearsals are on Sundays, March 8<sup>th</sup> - April 5<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 a.m. in the choir loft.

**KC Money Calendars:** . If you sold calendars, please turn in money and name & address stubs, to Andy Carlson at Exit Realty as soon as possible. Also turn in any unsold calendars.

**Sole4Souls** – IC Parish will collect shoes during Lent until April 5<sup>th</sup>. Shoes need to be in sacks or boxes. Place them in the south entry of the church hall during the workday or before/after weekend Masses.

**Lenten Scripture Study:** "Fulfilled" Uncovering the Biblical Foundations of Catholicism. 6 lessons on various dimensions of our faith. Wednesday night, 6:30 – 8:00, beginning Ash Wednesday and ending April 8<sup>th</sup>. The Introduction to Fulfilled will be Ash Wednesday in the church hall immediately following the fellowship meal. 4 of the lessons will be studied on Saturday, March 21<sup>st</sup> and March 29<sup>th</sup> (2 each Saturday) as an alternative to the Wednesday night sessions. If interested in doing of the *all or part* of the study, call Jean Walker at 229-3018 or sign-up in the church entrance area.

**Religious Ed:** Youth group for post-Confirmation kids will now meet 6:30 – 7:30 on Wednesday evenings. We are trying to get more kids to attend, so if a high school student has a younger sibling at religious ed. during this time, this will work very well for the youth to attend.

**~ IC Birthdays ~**

- Feb. 24** Todd Benson, Margo Boon, Nathaliy Leon, Anna Marie Lickiss
- Feb. 25** Rosa Strahmann
- Feb. 26** Kayla Hughes, Journee Smith, Jovee Smith
- Feb. 27** Jacob Erpelding
- Feb. 28** Al Peterson, Steve Rupp, Debra Vawn
- Mar. 1** David Cave, Gerald Hohbach

**OLGC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Prayer Line:** If you would like to request prayers for yourself or a family member, please contact Joyce Galvin at 368-2735 or Diane Gardalen at 712-229-1486.

**Community Basket donations** for February: Laundry and kitchen items – detergent, bleach, dryer sheets, fabric softener, dish soap.

# Please Pray For Those Who Are Remembered Here...

<i>In Memory of...</i> Barbara Rupp	<i>In Memory of...</i> Ralph, Herta and Sharon Rupp	<i>In Memory of...</i> Jerry & Steven Madsen	<i>In Memory of...</i> Stacy Goth, Roger Goth, Adrian & Helen Goth and Margaret Healy
<i>In Memory of...</i> Del Ament and Jill Ament	<i>In Memory of...</i> Jim Schallau	<i>In Memory of...</i> Roger, Marilyn & Karen Immele and Sy Rodgers	<i>In Memory of...</i> Emil & Helen Mendt
<i>In Memory of...</i> Bud & Marjorie Brandt	<i>In Memory of...</i> Kay Chettinger	<i>In Memory of...</i> <b>Open</b>	<i>In Memory of...</i> John Berigan
<i>In Memory of...</i> Owen & Eileen Hiniker	<i>In Memory of...</i> Dick & Darlene Hirschman	<i>In Memory of...</i> Paul & Matt George and John Storbeck	<i>In Memory of...</i> <b>Open</b>
<i>In Memory of...</i> Wayne & Rosemary Roepke	<i>In Memory of...</i> Romaine & Joanne Ryan	<i>In Memory of...</i> Jim Karhoff & Dan Karhoff	<i>In Memory of...</i> Lester & Mary Ann Bush, Mike Bush, Sharon Geary and Sandy Tuttle
<i>In Memory of...</i> Chuck & Joyce Perrin, Dan & Mike Perrin & Mike Gates	<i>In Memory of...</i> Max D. Martinsen	<i>In Memory of...</i> JoAnn Bartlett	<i>In Memory of...</i> Richard & Sally Henke
<i>In Memory of...</i> Bud Perrin	<i>In Memory of...</i> August "Gus" Erickson	<i>In Memory of...</i> Pat Bakker, Dale Bakker Jr. and Barb Timmins	<i>In Memory of...</i> Kenneth & Elva Johnson

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