

# The Catholic Communities of Cherokee and Holstein

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## May 23, 2021 Pentecost Sunday

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### FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR:

Today we celebrate Pentecost, the birthday of the Church with the coming of the Holy Spirit. The gift of the Holy Spirit, promised by Jesus at the Last Supper, enables Jesus' disciples to boldly proclaim the Good News, continuing Jesus' mission. As we celebrate Pentecost, we are called to open our hearts to the same Spirit so that we, too, might do our part in the work of the Kingdom.

Beginning Tuesday May 18 with the updated COVID Protocols for the Diocese of Sioux City, we were able to resume 100% capacity in our church buildings, congregational singing, use of Holy Water, use of our Reconciliation Rooms, and use of song books. Face masks for vaccinated people are optional. Face masks are strongly recommended for unvaccinated persons. The Sign of Peace and the Communion Cup is still to be omitted. It may take several weeks or more for us to return some things to normal. The dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday and Holy Day Masses will be lifted the first weekend of June. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding at this time.

Thank you to everyone who visits our parish website and Facebook page to stay in touch with the latest news and information and/or to utilize our weekend Mass reservation system [\[https://cherokeecountycatholics.org/mass-attendance-reservations\]](https://cherokeecountycatholics.org/mass-attendance-reservations) [under the Liturgy menu]] to reserve your spot by Saturdays 3:00 p.m., and who continue to mail in their parish contributions and/or go online to do this.

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

**Fr. Mark**

## 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 months in advance.  
**COMMUNION and ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Please call your parish office or contact Fr. Mark.  
**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** Contact the parish office or go to [cherokeecounty Catholics.org](http://cherokeecounty Catholics.org).  
**BULLETIN DEADLINE:** Noon on Wednesday.

## STEWARDSHIP

**IC** **May 16**  
**Weekly Total:** \$3,369 – Adult Envelopes \$2,015, General – Online \$315, Major Repair - Envelopes \$635, Major Repair - Online \$90, Loose \$72, Votives \$2, CAP \$20, Cemetery \$130, Retired & Infirm Priest \$60, Retired & Infirm Priest - Online \$20, Aid to Domestic Churches \$10.  
**TAO Goal:** \$41,385, Pledged \$28,572.50, Paid \$28,072.50; Cards to be returned: 464, Cards returned 208.

**OLGC** **May 16**  
**Weekly Total:** \$1,063 – Adult Envelopes \$965, Loose \$39, Votives \$9, Utility Fund \$50.  
**Capital campaign:** Goal \$350,000, Pledges: \$442,562, Amount received: \$419,213.08.  
**TAO Goal:** \$9,735, Pledged \$6,076, Paid \$5,586; Cards to be returned: 110, Cards returned 48.

## MASS MINISTERS

**Saturday May 29 – 5 p.m.** **Cherokee**  
**Reader** – Judy Carlson  
**Ushers** – Bill Anderson, Joe Immele, Warren Mitchell

**Sunday May 30 – 8:30 a.m.** **Holstein**  
**Cantor** – JoLynn Madsen  
**Altar Server** – TBA  
**Reader** – Paul Ahlers  
**Ushers** – Mark Cronin, Judy Wagoner, Pat Friedmann

**Sunday May 30 - 10:30 a.m.** **Cherokee**  
**Altar Server** – Tyler Kohn  
**Reader** – Jeanette Konrady  
**Ushers** – Denise Mendt, Tony Steward, Mark Wilson

## OF INTEREST TO BOTH PARISHES

**Save the dates** for Vacation Bible School at Our Lady of Good Counsel. VBS will be held July 12-16 from 9 a.m. to noon each day for students that have completed preschool through 5<sup>th</sup> grades. Registration information will be sent out at a later date. Students from Immaculate Conception are invited to join us.

**Weekly Saturday Updates** are sent out by Fr. Mark using ParishCast every Saturday morning to all parishioners for whom we have valid email addresses. These updates are posted on the homepage and COVID-19 INFO page of the parishes' website. Occasionally, we hear from parishioners reporting not receiving this weekly e-newsletter. Sometimes internet/email providers and email programs see such messages as spam and will send it to spam/junk folders or quarantine it. If you hear of persons not receiving these weekly messages, please suggest they check their spam/junk folders or contact their internet/email providers to see if this message was quarantined or ask the person to contact the parish office to ensure we have the correct email address. If you change your email address, please notify the parish office so we may update our list and you may receive regular e-mail communications.

**Aid to Domestic Churches Collection** is May 22/23 for the Black/Indian Missions, Catholic Home Missions, Catholic Communications Campaign [CCC], and Catholic Campaign For Human Development [CCHD]. Please use the envelope in your packet and make checks out to your parish. The donations collected are forwarded to the Diocese of Sioux City which then forwards the donations to the United States Bishop's Conference for use by these assistance where needed around the United States and to promote the Catholic faith in the media. Thank you for your generosity.

**Sponsor Couples wanted** to help prepared couples for marriage. Sponsor Couples need to be married and will receive training needed to walk with couples preparing for marriage. For more information and/or to volunteer, please contact Fr. Mark.

**You are invited** to a Magnificat Meal sponsored by the Northwest Iowa Chapter of Magnificat on Saturday, June 19, 9:30 a.m. at Resurrection of Our Lord Catholic Church, Pocahontas. Guest speaker: Fr. Travis Crotty. Tickets are \$20 and must be purchased in advance via PayPal or by mailing your check to Michele Leiting, 19546 Aspen Ave, Westside IA 51467. Visit [magnificat-iowa.com](http://magnificat-iowa.com) for more information.

**Need encouragement? Barnabas**, a key figure in the Acts of the Apostles whose name means "Son of Encouragement, is the focus of an online Bible Study offered by the Benedictine Peace Center in Yankton. "**Barnabas, Man for Others**" will meet on Zoom from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. CDT on Wednesdays, June 9, 16 and 23. To register or inquire about an appropriate donation and obtaining the text, email or call [maryjo.polak@yanktonbenedictines.org](mailto:maryjo.polak@yanktonbenedictines.org) or 605-668-6021 by June 1<sup>st</sup>.

**May is the Month of Mary.** It is also the perfect time to restart the weekly praying of the rosary at Immaculate Conception on Monday mornings at 9 a.m. As weather permits we will meet outside in front of the church. Otherwise we will meet in the parish hall (use the south door). Bring your lawn chair if wanted.



### Joke for the Week.....

Why do seagulls fly over the sea?  
If they flew over the bay, they would be bagels.

## IC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

**Please remember** Steve Dolph (55), Mary Dolph's son, who died on April 29<sup>th</sup> in your prayers as well as his family.

**Please remember** Clark Voge (55) who died on April 29<sup>th</sup> in your prayers as well as his family.

**Please remember** Linda Umbrell (72), Debra Zanfes' mother, who died on May 8<sup>th</sup> in your prayers as well as her family.

**Please remember** Marlys Alldredge (85) who died on May 16<sup>th</sup> in your prayers as well as her family.

**Card Shower:** On May 30<sup>th</sup>, Aileen Larson will be 91 years young. Happy Birthday Aileen! Send her a card at 1610 Highway 3, Apt. 308, Cherokee.

**The Ladies Guild** is selling pecans, walnuts, cashews and almonds at 315 E. Main Street in Cherokee. Call 712-225-3184 if any questions.

### ~ IC Birthdays ~

**May 24** Bob Carlson, Don Gaskill, Joe Groves, Betty Haselhoff, Jan Kistenmacher, Mason Swain

**May 25** Remi Thomas

**May 26** Deb Anderson

**May 27** Elyssa Gravenish, Michael Luken, Jessica Swain

**May 28** Mary Anderson

**May 29** Megan Husman

**May 30** Brandon Ankrum, Aileen Larson, Jackie Mortenson

## OLGC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Prayer Line:** Contact Joyce Galvin at 251-1687 or Diane Gardalen at 229-1486.

**Community Basket donations** for May: Peanut butter and jelly – various kinds.

## Pentecost Sunday



Pentecost marks the occasion of God sending the Holy Spirit upon Jesus' disciples after his Resurrection. The book of Acts describes how the disciples were gathered together in one place on the day of Pentecost. The Jewish feast of Pentecost (Shavuot or the Feast of Weeks) was a day that commemorated the giving of the law to Moses, a day soon to be marked as well by the giving of the Holy Spirit.

On Pentecost, the Holy Spirit gave the disciples the strength to fulfill their commission to spread the Good News of Jesus. The Solemnity of Pentecost, which crowns and fulfills the Easter season, is a good time to pray for a deeper indwelling of the Holy Spirit.

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### Please Pray with Us for an Increase in Vocations to the Ordained Ministry and the Consecrated Life:

Lord Jesus, as You once called the first disciples to make them fishers of men, let your sweet invitation continue to resound: Come! follow Me!

Give young men and women the grace of responding quickly to Your voice.

Support your bishops, priests, and consecrated people in their apostolic labor.

Grant perseverance to our seminarians and to all those who are carrying out the ideal of a life totally consecrated to Your service.

Awaken in our community a missionary eagerness.

Lord, send workers to your harvest and do not allow humanity to be lost for the lack of pastors, missionaries and people dedicated to the cause of the Gospel.

Mary, Mother of the Church, the model of every vocation, help us to say "Yes" to the Lord Who calls us to cooperate in the divine plan of salvation.

We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

(Pope Saint John Paul II)



# 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> Pat Bakker, Dale Bakker Jr. and Barb Timmins
<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>	<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>
<i>In Memory of...</i> Tom Murphy	<i>In Memory of...</i> Joy Lynn Larson & Douglas Stephen Larson	<i>In Memory of...</i> Jim Karhoff & Dan Karhoff	<i>In Memory of...</i>
<i>In Memory of...</i> Wayne & Rosemary Roepke	<i>In Memory of...</i> Max D. Martinsen	<i>In Memory of...</i>	<i>In Memory of...</i> Richard & Sally Henke
<i>In Memory of...</i> Chuck & Joyce Perrin, Dan & Mike Perrin & Mike Gates	<i>In Memory of...</i> August "Gus" Erickson	<i>In Memory of...</i> Shannon & Stacy Goth, Roger Goth, Adrian & Helen Goth and Margaret Healy	<i>In Memory of...</i> Kenneth & Elva Johnson
<i>In Memory of...</i> Bud Perrin	<i>In Memory of...</i> Lori Sokolowski and Aaron Sokolowski		

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