

# The Catholic Communities of Cherokee and Holstein

cherokeecountycatholics.org

## June 6, 2021 The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

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### FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR:

Today is the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. Jesus established the new covenant between God and His people with His body and blood. Since the beginning of time, God has loved and delighted in the people He created to share fully in His love. Despite their repeated rejection and betrayal of Him, God's love for His people never ended. In Jesus, and the giving of His body and blood, God offers us the way to become one with Him and know His love completely.

The dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday and Holy Day Masses has been lifted. Beginning today, everyone is obligated to attend Sunday and Holy Day Masses once again, except for the homebound, hospitalized, in long-term care facilities, or the seriously ill who have valid excuses for not attending Mass.

I invite everyone who can walk or drive or get a ride to church to join us for Mass and to take the opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation that we need to do at least once a year. Let us make Sunday important again and fill our churches to standing room only at every weekend and Holy Day Mass.

Face masks for vaccinated people are optional. Face masks are strongly recommended for unvaccinated persons. Thank you to unvaccinated attendees who wear face masks for the good of the health of other 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.

**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 [cherokeecountycatholics.org](http://cherokeecountycatholics.org).

**BULLETIN DEADLINE:** Noon on Wednesday.

## STEWARDSHIP

**IC** **May 23**

**Weekly Total:** \$2,727 – Adult Envelopes \$1,507, General – Online \$390, Major Repair - Envelopes \$350, Major Repair - Online \$90, Loose \$49, Votives \$11, CAP \$40, Cemetery \$105, Retired & Infirm Priest - Online \$20, Aid to Domestic Churches \$110, Aid to Domestic Churches – Online \$50, Peter’s Pence \$5. **TAO Goal:** \$41,385, Pledged \$28,572.50, Paid \$28,072.50; Cards to be returned: 464, Cards returned 208.

**OLGC** **May 23**

**Weekly Total:** \$1,240.05 – Adult Envelopes \$995, General – Online \$200, Loose \$45.05. **Capital campaign:** Goal \$350,000, Pledges: \$442,562, Amount received: \$419,253.08. **TAO Goal:** \$9,735, Pledged \$6,076, Paid \$5,586; Cards to be returned: 110, Cards returned 48.

## MASS MINISTERS

**Saturday June 12 – 5 p.m.** **Cherokee**

**Reader** – Warren Mitchell

**Ushers** – Bill Anderson, Joe Immele

**Sunday June 13 – 8:30 a.m.** **Holstein**

**Cantor** – Joyce Galvin

**Reader** – Paul Ahlers

**Ushers** – Andy Cronin, Jensen Flanigan, Shawn Flanigan

**Sunday June 13 - 10:30 a.m.** **Cherokee**

**Altar Server** – Adam Kohn

**Reader** – Jeanette Konrady

**Ushers** – Denise Mendt, John Schwarz, Tony Steward

## OF INTEREST TO BOTH PARISHES

**Adoration/Benediction** is returning to the parishes: on the 1<sup>st</sup> Fridays after Mass at OLGC and on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays after Mass at IC. Please join us.

**Vacation Bible School [VBS] - Rocky Railway *Jesus' Power Pulls Us Through*** will be held Monday, July 12<sup>th</sup> – Friday, July 16<sup>th</sup>, 9 a.m. – noon each day, at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Holstein for students who have completed pre-school through 5th grade. Cost is

\$15 [1 child], \$25 [2 children], \$35 [3 or more children]. Registration deadline: Friday, June 11<sup>th</sup>. Registration forms have been sent to parents and available at Faith Formation - Catholic Communities of Cherokee County - Cherokee, IA ([cherokeecountycatholics.org](http://cherokeecountycatholics.org)).

**Our Church buildings** are open for regular prayer visits. At IC: Monday-Friday 7:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.; Saturday 3:00-6:30 p.m.; Sundays, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. At OLGC: every day 7:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** is available a half hour before every weekend and daily Mass in the regular Reconciliation Room and by appointment.

**Pastoral Planning for Our Future and for Evangelization** – is continuing as the CCOCH Pastoral Planning Team, the Pastoral Councils, the Finance Councils, and the parish staff for each parish are working to set and implement vision and goals, and work to encouraging everyone to be faithful members of the Church who take seriously our baptismal call to help evangelize the world and to be true disciples of Jesus Christ.

**The Lumen subscription** renewal letters were mailed last week for the July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022 subscription year. All current subscribers to the new diocesan newspaper, The Lumen, are receiving subscription renewal mailings. For \$1.25 per issue, you can stay informed about church teaching, diocesan programming, pastoral planning developments and COVID-19 protocols in the diocese. Again, this year, you can receive a printed paper and E-edition for the same \$30 annual subscription price. You may also switch to E-edition and access the comprehensive Catholic news publication on the publication date! Go to [www.lumenmedia.org](http://www.lumenmedia.org) to subscribe or renew. Please mail your renewal to THE LUMEN.

**Emmaus Camp** is for twenty-four [24] active students who have finished grades 10-12 in 2021 and who have encountered the Lord and are prepared to go deeper for students, sponsored by the Diocese of Sioux City Office of Evangelization, to be held July 21-25, 2021, at the Creighton University Retreat Center, Griswold, Iowa. Cost is \$400.00. Scholarships are available. For more information, contact Fr. Mark or Joyce Galvin and/or to register by June 22.

**Quo Vadis** is a discernment retreat for young men who have completed the freshmen year of high school and into college sponsored by the Diocese of Sioux City Office of Vocations August 6-8th at the Vianney House by West Lake Okoboji with our diocesan seminarians to help discover the path God is calling them to for their fulfillment and eternal happiness. All meals, housing, and activities are FREE. For more information, please

contact Fr. Mark or contact our Diocesan Office of Vocations at 712-233-7523 or [michelles@scdiocese.org](mailto:michelles@scdiocese.org).

**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.

**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.



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

What do you call a cow that has a twitch?  
Beef jerky!

### IC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

**Please remember** Charlene Bohling (81), Mary Berger's sister, who died on May 30<sup>th</sup> in your prayers as well as her family.

**A live streaming camera system** will soon be installed to provide for better video and audio quality during live broadcasts. We need "Digital Ushers" to operate the system during live broadcasts. Please contact the office for more information. Training will be provided.

#### ~ IC Birthdays ~

- June 7** Parker Grohe
- June 8** Diana Reinert, DuWayne Rupp
- June 9** Kallie Busse, Pearl Lugar
- June 10** Deb Koch
- June 12** Tom Bohnenkamp, Abigail Glassmaker, Nicholas Wells
- June 13** Mary Berger, Antonio Lopez, John O. Loughlin, Fr. Gene Sitzmann

### OLGC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

**Thank You** to Amanda and her husband Dusty for installing all the plants around the new addition as part of her Master Gardener designation project. It looks great!

**Community Basket donations** for June: Personal care items – soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, comb/brushes, diapers, shampoo and conditioner.

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#### The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

On the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ, we give special honor to Jesus, truly present in the most Blessed Sacrament of the altar. As Catholics, we worship the presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist, both during Mass and outside of Mass. We are encouraged to spend time in prayer before the Lord in the Eucharist. Many parishes offer regular exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in a monstrance. We may also choose to visit the church at other times to adore the Blessed Sacrament reserved in the tabernacle.

#### Anima Christi Prayer

Soul of Christ, be my sanctification.  
Body of Christ, be my salvation.  
Blood of Christ, fill all my veins.  
Water of Christ's side, wash out my stains.  
Passion of Christ, my comfort be.  
O good Jesus, listen to me.  
In Thy wounds I fain would hide,  
Ne'er to be parted from Thy side,  
Guard me, should the foe assail me.  
Call me when my life shall fail me.  
Bid me come to Thee above,  
With Thy saints to sing Thy love,  
World without end.  
Amen.

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# 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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