

The Catholic Communities of Cherokee and Holstein

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September 5, 2021 Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR:

Big Thank You for the Welcoming Back Parties

A great big "Thank You" to all of the people who helped plan both the Cherokee and Holstein parties. They were huge success as everything went as planned and everyone had a fun time. A special thanks also to everyone who attended. They were truly great events.

New Liturgy Director and New DRE in Cherokee

We have finally filled the positions of Liturgy Director and DRE (Director of Religious Education) in Cherokee. We are blessed to have both of these new hires. The liturgy director is Cain Junkman. He has arrived. He was the Music Director at St. Joseph Church in Milford and St. Mary Church in Spirit Lake. He is a graduate of St. Edmond Catholic School in Fort Dodge. The new DRE is Maylissa Wells who is a current parishioner here. She is married to Keith and they have 4 children. She has previously taught in our religious education program and has already started the job.

RCIA is Coming

Are you interested in becoming Catholic or receiving 1st Communion and/or Confirmation? It is time for The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). If you know someone who is interested in the Catholic Faith or never received their 1st Communion and/or Confirmation, this will be a great opportunity for them. Please consider inviting someone to join the church, even if you have asked them before. The RCIA classes will be starting on Tuesday, September 28th at 6:00 p.m. in the Gathering Room.

Fr. Dan

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. Dan.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: Contact the parish office or go to cherokeecountycatholics.org.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Noon on Wednesday.

STEWARDSHIP



IC August 22

Weekly Total: \$4,681.25 – Adult Envelopes \$3,133, General – Online \$200, Youth \$2, Major Repair - Envelopes \$682, Major Repair - Online \$65, Loose \$160.25, Votives \$9, CAP \$165, Guild \$35, Religious Ed \$25, Retirement Fund for Religious \$75, Retired & Infirm Priest \$20, Haiti Relief \$100.

OLGC August 22

Weekly Total: \$1,548 – Adult Envelopes \$840, General – Online \$200, Loose \$458, Building Fund – Online \$25, Retirement Fund for Religious \$25.

MASS MINISTERS

Saturday September 11 – 5 p.m. Cherokee

Altar Servers – Joe Anderson, Bill Anderson

Cantor – Bev Reinholdt

Eucharistic Ministers – Bob Carlson, Judy Carlson

Greeters/Gift Presenters – Jim & Annette Meyer

Reader – Kathy Hupke

Ushers – Angie Anderson, Leo Hupke

Sunday September 12 – 8:30 a.m. Holstein

Readers – Mary Ahlers, Evan Johnson

Cantor – Joyce Galvin

Sequencer – Carter Todd

Altar Servers – Luke Whitmer, Payton Wittrock

Eucharistic Minister – Brenda Cronin

Communion Routes – Kelli Boyle (1), Marty Boyle (2)

Hospitality – JT Forristal Family

Sacristan – Pat Cronin

Usher – Dick Boyle

Counters – Brian Cronin, Kiley Todd

Sunday September 12 - 10:30 a.m. Cherokee

Altar Servers – Tyler Kohn, Warren Mitchell

Cantor – Mary Meyers

Eucharistic Ministers – Gert Selk, Suzanne Torrey

Greeters/Gift Presenters – John & Connie Schwarz

Reader – Cheryl Kaskey

Ushers – Jason Kohn, Jacob Kohn

Livestream Operator – Mark Wilson

Holy Communion CRMC: **Mon.** Julie Luken, **Tues.** Suzanne Torrey, **Wed.** Fr. Dan, **Thurs.** Julie Luken, **Fri.** Gert Selk, **Sat. – Sun.** Joyce Bechtel

OF INTEREST TO BOTH PARISHES

Happy Birthday to Fr. Dan on Friday, September 10th! Wishing you a happy and healthy year ahead!

Cards for Fr. Jeff: Let's shower Fr. Jeff Schleisman with cards! Send him a card or note to extend your prayers and thoughts for him as he continues his battle with cancer. You can mail your cards directly to Fr. Jeff at 26528 115th Street, Lake City, IA 51449. Or you can drop them off at the parish offices or put them in the collection basket. Also consider saying a rosary (or two or three) for him. Thank you!

Special Collection for Relief in Haiti: Bishop Nickless has asked that parishes in the Diocese take up a special collection for disaster aid to Haiti following the August 14 earthquake. This weekend the second collection will be for Haiti Relief. Please consider giving generously to this special collection.

Office Positions at OLGC in Holstein:

Office staff position - Part-time approximately 9-12 hours per week to staff the parish office. Duties would include answering the phone, greeting visitors, light clerical work, maintaining the parish records within ParishSoft and assisting Father Dan.

Bookkeeper - Part-time position to do the parish books. Must be familiar with QuickBooks, payroll reports and financial reports. Able to handle confidential info appropriately. Flexible hours. ***These positions could be combined for a qualified person. If interested, please contact Father Dan by August 31st.

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

Magnificat of NW Iowa: Plan to attend a retreat, sponsored by Magnificat of NW Iowa, "Growing in Christ". Our speaker is Fr. Ryan Browning, pastor at St. Thomas More in Elgin, IL. This event will be held at Cathedral of the Epiphany, Sioux City on September 25, 8:30-2:00. More information and registration are available at Magnificat-Iowa.com.



Joke for the Week.....

What kind of shoes do burglars wear?
Sneakers.

IC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

Please remember Steve Volkert (68), who died on August 26th and whose funeral was August 31st, in your prayers as well as his family.

The Parish Life Team would like to initiate fellowship time by having coffee and treats in the church hall every 1st and 3rd Sunday after Mass. This will begin on September 5th. Gert Selk and Joyce Bechtel will host this first one. If you would like to volunteer for a Sunday, please call Joyce at 712-229-4496. Thanks for helping promote fellowship in our church community!

Ladies Guild will resume its monthly luncheon and meeting on Wednesday, September 8th at 12:00 in the parish hall. Please join us!

Parish family fun night: The Ladies Guild wants to welcome everyone back to religious education and is hosting a Kick-Off Dinner on September 11th after the 5 p.m. Mass. Bingo following the meal. We will also do a Backpack Blessing at this time, so bring in your school bags! Everyone is welcome.

Catholic Daughters Workshop/Retreat – chose one that fits your schedule: September 18th Woodbine; October 2nd Cedar Rapids; October 16th West Bend. To register call Suzanne at 229-5159. We will meet September 13th for the first meeting of the 2021-2022 year. Rosary at 5:30. All women of the parish are invited and welcome to join.

IC Faith Formation News

IC Faith Formation is in need of catechists for the 10-12 grade youth group. We also need volunteers in the office, gym before class, substitutes, and occasional drivers.

We are planning to begin Faith Formation classes on September 15th and meet every week from 6:30-7:30. The gym will be open 15 minutes prior to class time.

Registration for Faith Formation is on-going at the IC school office Monday through Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., or you can call the office for an appointment.

~ IC Birthdays ~

Sept 6 Gloria Fortner
Sept 7 Kory Mortenson, Catelyn Younie
Sept 8 Aimee Hughes, Mahren Malausky, Mallon Malausky
Sept 9 Larry Pitts, LeRoy Rupp
Sept 10 Fr. Dan, Mike Halder, Mark Wilson
Sept 11 Cody Carlson, Konnie Leonard, David Zarfes
Sept 12 Steve Lundsgaard, Chevelle Wells

OLGC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

Ida Area for Life will meet on September 9th at Remer Reality and Appraisal in Ida Grove at 7 p.m. We are a non-denominational group and guests and new members are always welcome. Please join us.

Community Basket donations for September: Canned meats/fish and Helper meal mixes.

OLGC Faith Formation News

Sunday, August 29 - Faith Formation registration after Mass

Sunday, September 5 - Faith Formation registration after Mass

Wednesday, September 1 @ 7 p.m. - catechist meeting

Wednesday, September 8 @ 6:30 p.m. - meeting for 2nd graders and parents

Wednesday, September 8 @ 7:15 p.m. - meeting for 9th graders and parents

Wednesday, September 15 - First Faith Formation class: Grades K-4 & 6 @ 6:00 p.m.

Grades 5 & 7-12 @ 7:15

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Patriot Day, Saturday, September 11th



A People Changed by 9/11

"The years have gone by, but the memories remain for all who were involved in that one single day and its aftermath that changed the lives of so many and of our nation."
-Monsignor Robert J. Romano

We remember all those who lost their lives in the 2001 attacks. We pray for all victims of violence and terrorism around the world, and for their families, that they may find comfort and peace.

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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> Paul & Matt George and John Storbeck	<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> Jim Karhoff & Dan Karhoff	<i>In Memory of...</i> Kenneth & Elva Johnson
<i>In Memory of...</i> Tom Murphy	<i>In Memory of...</i> Joy Lynn Larson & Douglas Stephen Larson	<i>In Memory of...</i> Shannon & Stacy Goth, Roger Goth, Adrian & Helen Goth and Margaret Healy	<i>In Memory of...</i> Richard & Sally Henke
<i>In Memory of...</i> Wayne & Rosemary Roepke	<i>In Memory of...</i> Max D. Martinsen		<i>In Memory of...</i> Kenneth & Elva Johnson
<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> Bud Perrin	<i>In Memory of...</i> Lori Sokolowski and Aaron Sokolowski		

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