

The Catholic Communities of Cherokee and Holstein

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September 19, 2021 Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR:

Fr. Jeff Schleisman Has Passed Away

Fr. Jeff has passed away from cancer. It was a long fight and his suffering is finally over. The funeral was on Wednesday in Carroll. I had hoped to let you all know so you could attend the funeral. However he died on Sunday, and I did not find out until after the Masses. I am sure he still appreciates your prayers. May he rest in peace.

New Hires in Holstein

We have hired a new bookkeeper and secretary in Holstein. Mary Forristal and JoAnn Graff will share the duties with Mary primarily doing the bookkeeping and Joann primarily doing the secretary work. Thus, we will be announcing regular office hours in Holstein soon.

Together As One – Annual Appeal

It's here! Let's work Together As One to help support our future. Check your mailboxes this week and make a gift to strengthen our Catholic community. When our parish goes over its diocesan support goal of \$25,691 for IC and \$6,824 for OLOG, 100% of that overage amount is returned to our parish for our use!!!

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.

MASS MINISTERS

Saturday September 25 – 5 p.m. Cherokee

Altar Servers – Bob Craig, Warren Mitchell

Cantor – Laura Jones

Eucharistic Ministers – Judy Carlson, Suzanne Torrey

Greeters/Gift Presenters – Bob & Judy Carlson

Reader – Laurie Dreier

Ushers – Lori Fordyce, Judy Slota

Sunday September 26 – 8:30 a.m. Holstein

Readers – Jennifer Forristal, Diane Gardalen

Cantor – JoLynn Madsen

Sequencer – Natalie Madsen

Altar Servers – Robert Forristal, Cole Jochims

Eucharistic Minister – Rich Degen

Communion Routes – Tom Galvin (1), Jerry Cronin (2)

Hospitality – Matthew Wittrock Family

Sacristan – Judy Wagoner

Usher – Shawn Flanagan

Counters – Linda Niemeier, Mary Forristal

Sunday September 26 - 10:30 a.m. Cherokee

Altar Servers – Adam Kohn, Tyler Kohn

Cantor – Mary Meyers

Eucharistic Ministers – Cheryl Kaskey, Julie Luken

Greeters/Gift Presenters – Shirley George, Gert Selk

Reader – Kathy Hupke

Ushers – Leo Hupke, Jason Schleaf

Livestream Operator – Denise Mendt

Holy Communion CRMC

Monday September 20 - Norma Clark

Tuesday September 21 – Suzanne Torrey

Wednesday September 22 - Fr. Dan

Thursday September 23 - Julie Luken

Friday September 24 - Gert Selk

Saturday September 25 – Joyce Bechtel

Sunday September 26 – Joyce Bechtel



STEWARDSHIP



IC September 12

Weekly Total: \$5,028.35 – Adult Envelopes \$2,832, General – Online \$190, Youth \$10, Major Repair - Envelopes \$566, Major Repair - Online \$40, Loose \$253.70, Votives \$26.65, CAP \$20, Guild \$80, Religious Ed \$25, Retirement Fund for Religious \$25, Retired & Infirm Priest \$20, Haiti Relief \$1,020.

OLGC September 12

Weekly Total: \$4,120 – Adult Envelopes \$1,731, Youth \$34, Loose \$179, Votives \$76, Special Collection \$2,000, Building Fund \$100.

OF INTEREST TO BOTH PARISHES

Please remember Fr. Jeff Schleisman (56), who died on August 31st and whose funeral was September 4th, in your prayers as well as his family. May God give eternal rest to Fr. Jeff and comfort his family.

Check out our updated website! Go to cherokeecountycatholics.org and take a look. Please give your feedback to Cain Junkman.

40 Days for Life is September 22nd – October 31st. More information is at <https://scdiocese.org/events/40-days-for-life-1>.

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 p.m. in the Gathering Room in the school.

Have you ever wondered, "I know how to say the prayers, but did God even hear me? If he did hear, he didn't answer." Maybe you thought you just weren't good at prayer. Prayer is not just saying the prayers, it is our relationship with God. Magnificat of NW IA is sponsoring a retreat on prayer on Sat., September 25, 8:30 a.m. -2:00 p.m. at Cathedral of the Epiphany in Sioux City. Our speaker is Fr. Ryan Browning. Registration is \$35, includes 2 meals and a prayer booklet. **Registration deadline is Sept. 20!** See magnificat-iowa.com to register, for a video from Fr. Browning and for more information.

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 OLG: every day 7:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.



Joke for the Week.....

What has four wheels and flies?
A garbage truck!

IC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

Congratulations to Mahren Malausky and Mallon Malausky, children of Matthew Malausky and Tara Lugar, who were baptized and received their First Holy Communion at IC on August 28th. May God bless the faith life of Mahren and Mallon bless their family.

Congratulations to Peter Nitz, son of James and Kara Nitz, baptized at IC on September 11th. May God bless the faith life of Christian and bless his family.

The Great Adventure Bible Study (a journey through the Bible) is back! Introductory session, including video, and Q & A: Sunday September 26th at 9 a.m. and Wednesday September 29th at 6:15 p.m. in the church hall. Come to one a learn more and decide if this Bible study is for you. Sessions will run Sundays 8:30 – 10:15 a.m. and Wednesday evening (during Faith Formation class – exact time to be determined by participants), beginning Sunday October 3rd and Wednesday October 6th. Sessions 1 – 8 will run October and November and Sessions 9 – 24 will resume in mid-January 2022. Cost of the study materials is \$35. Contact Jean Walker at 229-3018 with any questions.

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. If you would like to volunteer for a Sunday, please call Joyce at 712-229-4496. Thanks for helping promote fellowship!

Ladies Guild: As members of the parish, we are asked to provide food for funeral lunches and to help work at the lunch (set-up, serving, clean-up, etc.). The \$20 annual dues you are asked to pay (pink envelope with offering envelopes) is for the upkeep of the parish hall, and is not in lieu of helping with funeral lunches. We are really in need of workers, especially with clean-up. The funeral committee lists are posted in the entrance area of the church so check out which one you are on. Even if you are not called to help or are not the committee serving, please offer to help if you can!

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at IC is the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month after the 8 a.m. Mass. Can you spare 30 minutes of your day? Sign-up sheet is in the church entrance area.

The CAP Food Pantry depends on the generosity of others to provide food to those in our community who need help. Please consider making a contribution today.

IC Faith Formation News

Rekindle is now open for registrations. Please contact Maylissa Wells at the church office to register your 7-12 grader for this 1-day retreat at Kemper School in Carroll on October 17th. Registrations and payment due by September 30th. <https://scdiocese.org/rekindle>.

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.

~ IC Birthdays ~

- Sept 20** Mary Baughman, Deb Halder, Jean Haselhoff, Mike Rupp
Sept 21 Margaret Carlson
Sept 22 Janet Lux, Mary Pigott
Sept 23 Don Pitts, Payton Slaughter
Sept 24 Aiden Comstock, Jeff Wilson
Sept 26 Fred Fondroy, Ann Gries, Alan Kellen, Matt Lugar

OLGC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

The Ida Groves Knights of Columbus will be having their annual spaghetti dinner on Sunday, September 26th from 4 to 7 p.m. at Sacred Heart in Ida Grove.

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

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Prayer for Vocations

God our Father, we beg you for an increase in religious vocations. Help our people offer their lives in service to You. Let them hear Your Spirit's invitation, and awaken in their hearts a desire to respond with courage, generosity, and joy. Raise up from our families faithful leaders, who will serve as deacons, priests, and consecrated religious, as we entrust to Your care all who seek to do Your will.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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> Norman Moon	<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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 <p>ANDERSON PROFESSIONAL SERVICES Your Tax Specialists 221 East Main Street Cherokee 225-9027 www.apssiouxland.com Owned by Parishioners Bill & Angie Anderson</p>		 <p>LOUGHLIN LAW FIRM ATTORNEYS AT LAW 231 W. Maple St. Cherokee, IA, 225-2514</p>	
	<p>Schmillen Complete Services 712-376-2213 Marcus, Iowa Carpet Cleaning, Duct Cleaning Fire & Flood Restoration 1-800-830-2213</p>	<p>Greenwood-Schubert Funeral Homes Matthew J. Schubert 712-225-4886 Cherokee: 216 S. 2nd St.-51012 Marcus: 100 Eagle Ave-51035</p>	<p>Aerus/Electrolux Schallau/Chettinger Vacuum Sales Service & Supplies 1325 Greta #4 Cherokee, IA 712-261-2312 or 229-6407</p> <p>Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court Dolores 458 All are welcome! Regent Suzanne Torrey 712-229-5159</p>
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<p>COSGROVE LAW FIRM ***** Thaddeus Cosgrove, Attorney at Law Meghann Cosgrove Whitmer, Attorney at Law Website: thadcosgrovelaw.com</p> <p>102 N. Main, PO Box 50 Holstein, IA 51025 Ph: (712) 368-2616 Fax: (712) 368-2389 cosgrove1@frontiernet.net</p> <p>607 W. Second Street Ida Grove, IA 51445 Ph: (712) 364-4138 Fax: (712) 364-4445 tcosgroveig@netllc.net</p>		<p>THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Council No. 1722 Cherokee, IA Come and join us...Contact Grand Knight Jeff Wilson see cherokeecountyatholics.org for more info</p>  <p>307 N. Second Street Cherokee, IA 225-2755</p> <p>BRAD'S TIRE SERVICE CENTER Tires-Alignments-Oil Changes-Brakes On the Road Field Service Complete Automotive Repair Work YOUR ONE STOP TIRE SHOP! 1475 N. 2nd, Cherokee Hours: Mon-Fri. 7:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Sat.: 8 a.m.-Noon 225-2100</p> 	