

# The Catholic Communities of Cherokee and Holstein

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## October 3, 2021 Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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### FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR:

#### I Will Be Away From Monday to Thursday for Presbyteral Days

All of the priests of the diocese will be gathering at the Lakes this coming week for Presbyteral Days to discuss ministry and the future of the diocese. Please pray for a successful gathering. I will return on Thursday afternoon. Thus, there will be no Masses on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Sorry for the inconvenience.

#### Together As One – Annual Appeal

It's here! Let's work Together As One to help support our future. You should have received your Together as One pledge card by now. If you did not get one, then call the office so we can register you with the parish. Our diocesan support goal is \$25,691 for IC and \$6,824 for OLGC. So far we have raised \$9,752 For IC and \$1,965 for OLGC. 100% of that overage amount of our goals is returned to our parishes for our use!!! Thanks for your support!!!

#### Fraudulent Emails in My Name

Criminals from somewhere in this big world of ours are searching parish bulletins for emails and phone numbers and are contacting people pretending to be me and asking for money. Usually they are asking for an Apple gift card or something similar. Do not fall for this. I will never contact you by email or text asking for money. Spread the word!

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 [cherokeecounty Catholics.org](http://cherokeecounty Catholics.org).  
**BULLETIN DEADLINE:** Noon on Wednesday.

## MASS MINISTERS

### Saturday October 9 – 5 p.m. Cherokee

**Altar Servers** – Bob Craig, Doug Davis  
**Cantor** – TBD  
**Eucharistic Ministers** – Rita Comstock, John Comstock  
**Greeters/Gift Presenters** – Richard & Martha Sokolowski  
**Reader** – Mary Baughman-Kane  
**Ushers** – TBD

### Sunday October 10 – 8:30 a.m. Holstein

**Readers** – Irellyn Wittrock, Jared Friedmann  
**Cantor** – Janna Friedmann w/ Joyce Galvin  
**Organ** – Natalie Madsen  
**Altar Servers** – Payton Wittrock, Luke Whitmer  
**Eucharistic Minister** – Melissa Friedrichsen  
**Communion Routes** – Jackie Phelps (1), Bob Galvin (2)  
**Hospitality** – Jacob Friedmann, Jayne Friedmann, Lillian Whitmer, Sydney Blackmore  
**Sacristan** – Diane Gardalen  
**Usher** – Brian Cronin  
**Counters** – Pat Cronin, Matt Forristal  
**Rosary** – Bob Galvin

### Sunday October 10 - 10:30 a.m. Cherokee

**Altar Servers** – Warren Mitchell  
**Cantor** – TBD  
**Eucharistic Ministers** – Diana Reinert, Suzanne Torrey  
**Greeters/Gift Presenters** – Dale & Cheryl Kaskey  
**Reader** – Mary Tuttle  
**Ushers** – Alan Johnson, Tony Steward  
**Livestream Operator** – Mark Wilson

### Holy Communion CRMC

**Monday Oct 4** – Kathy Hupke  
**Tuesday Oct 5** – Suzanne Torrey  
**Wednesday Oct 6** - Fr. Dan  
**Thursday Oct 7** – Gert Selk  
**Friday Oct 8** - Gert Selk  
**Saturday Oct 9** – Joyce Bechtel  
**Sunday Oct 10** – Joyce Bechtel



## STEWARDSHIP



### IC September 26

**Weekly Total:** \$6,816.51 – Adult Envelopes \$3,909, General – Online \$605, Major Repair - Envelopes \$885, Major Repair - Online \$90, Loose \$237.51, Guild \$120, CAP \$550, Catholic Charities \$400, Retired & Infirm Priest \$20. **DAA:** Pledged \$9,765, Paid \$8,602, 33% of \$25,691 Goal paid.

### OLGC September 26

**Weekly Total:** \$1,576 – Adult Envelopes \$1,230, General – Online \$200, Youth \$30, Loose \$116. **DAA:** Pledged \$1,965, Paid \$1,965, 29% of \$6,824 Goal paid.

## OF INTEREST TO BOTH PARISHES

**St Francis Blessing of Pets This Sunday (October 3<sup>rd</sup>).** In honor of the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi (which falls on Oct. 4<sup>th</sup>), we will be blessing pets This Sunday (October 3<sup>rd</sup>) at Noon in front of IC Church in Cherokee. Bring your dogs, cats, hamsters, parakeets, turtles, hermit crabs, horses, etc. and I will give them a blessing. Children can also bring their stuffed animals if they would like them blessed. See you and your pets on Sunday.

**RCIA Has Started – It's Not Too Late to Join Us – We Need You!!!** Are you interested in becoming Catholic Or receiving 1<sup>st</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> 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 have started and will be meeting on Thursday evenings, at 6 pm in the Gathering Space in the school.

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

**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.



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

Why shouldn't you write with a broken pencil?  
Because it's pointless!

## IC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

**KC News:** KC officers meeting will be Monday October 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 in the KC room in the IC school.

**Altar Server Training:** Fr. Dan will have altar server training for all new and all returning servers on October 13<sup>th</sup> during religious education (6:30 – 7:30 p.m.). All who are interested in being a server are encouraged to attend.

**Estate Sale:** Items from Donna Lewallen's estate that were donated by Jim Lewallen will be offered for sale in the IC parish hall on October 8<sup>th</sup> from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. and October 9<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. This is a scholarship fundraiser in honor of Donna. Please be generous! All proceeds will be given to a local individual pursuing a degree in education. Our local CDA will identify the scholarship recipient.

**Annual Right to Life Prayer Chain** will take place on Sunday October 3<sup>rd</sup>. Gather to pray the rosary outside IC church in the prayer garden at 1:30 p.m. We will finish prayerfully holding Right to Life signs in downtown from 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Come join us in Standing Up For Life!

**The Parish Life Team** would like to initiate fellowship time by having coffee and treats in the church hall every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Mass. If you would like to volunteer for a Sunday, please call Mary Tuttle at 712-261-8876. Thanks for helping promote fellowship!

**Beginning this October**, we will begin using a new software, Ministry Scheduler Pro, to begin scheduling liturgical ministers for our weekend and Holy Day Masses. This new software will automatically send email reminders a couple days prior to the Mass in which you serve. Additionally, all ministers have the option to make their own online account, if they wish, to adjust their availability. Rosters of all the ministers have been emailed to all ministers this past week, along with the October schedule. If you did not receive it by email, please let Cain Junkman know - junkman.cain@gmail.com. Please let Cain know of any questions you have or any corrections.

**We are looking to start** a contemporary music ensemble to sing/play at Mass approximately once a month. Anyone of any age group is invited to join. Particular musicians for the group that are needed include vocalists (particularly vocalists that are comfortable singing parts), a guitarist, drummer, bass player, and anyone else who may be skilled and interested in playing another instrument. If you are interested or have more questions, please contact Cain Junkman by email at [junkman.cain@gmail.com](mailto:junkman.cain@gmail.com). We will then organize upcoming rehearsals with the group to begin playing at liturgies.

**CDA News:** Please pick up your CDA booklet on the back counter in the church entrance area. If you are interested in going to the West Bend workshop/retreat on October 16<sup>th</sup>, please call Suzanne. The retreat will be at the Grotto. You may bring your lawn chair.

**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.

### 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.

#### ~ IC Birthdays ~

- Oct 4** Mary Ann Hanson
- Oct 7** Connie Hill, Wanelda Moon
- Oct 8** Rhett Lundsgaard, Jeffrey Rupp, Brian Shea
- Oct 10** Shirley Bobolz, Emma Jensen, Whitney Johnson, Cheryl Kaskey, Baleigh Kennedy, Cindy Short, Wendy Slaughter, Jeannine Waddell, David Wilberding

## OLGC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

**Community Basket donations** for October: Soups and stews, crackers.

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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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