

St Joseph the Worker Cluster

The Catholic Parishes of

Immaculate Conception
Sumner

Holy Name
West Union

St Francis of Assisi
Fayette

St Peter
Clermont



AUGUST 18, 2019 – TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY/SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday:

4:00 p.m. St. Peter, Clermont

6:00 p.m. St. Francis of Assisi, Fayette

Sunday:

8:00 a.m. Immaculate Conception, Sumner

10:00 a.m. Holy Name, West Union

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Deadline for bulletin information: 12:00 p.m. on Tuesday



20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JESUS SAID TO HIS DISCIPLES:
"I HAVE COME TO SET THE EARTH ON
FIRE, AND HOW I WISH IT WERE
ALREADY BLAZING!" - LK 12:49

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

MISSION STATEMENT

We the people of St. Joseph the Worker Cluster, give of ourselves by sharing time, talent and treasure to enhance the Catholic faith.

VISION STATEMENT

We the people of St. Joseph the Worker Cluster, endeavor to come together as one family of God to serve as a Catholic faith community in the name of Jesus Christ our Savior.

SPREAD THE WORD!

Beginning Saturday, August 31st Mass times will change to:

- Saturday Masses-** 4:00 pm at Immaculate Conception, Sumner
 6:00 pm at Holy Name, West Union
Sunday Masses - 8:00 am at St. Peter, Clermont
 10:00 am at St. Francis of Assisi, Fayette



- 25 - HN, Belgium Waffles 8:30 am - 12:30 pm
 Cluster Confirmation Retreat 4 - 8 pm at Holy Name
 27 - St. Francis of Assisi Finance Council Mtg. 7:00 pm



- 17 - Cluster Faith Formation - 7:00pm at IC
 18 - Cluster Social Justice Mtg. 7:00 pm at SFA
 26 - Cluster Pastoral Council Mtg. - 7:00 pm at Holy Name



St. Peter, Clermont

Sacrificial Giving 8/10/19	Total: \$1,142.11
Week Budget Need	\$1,540.00
Adult Envelopes	820.00
Youth Envelopes	12.00
Offertory	40.11
Maintenance	10.00
Social Justice	60.00
Elevator/Lift Project	200.00
Total Weekend	\$1,142.11

St. Francis of Assisi, Fayette

Sacrificial Giving 8/10/19	Total: \$787.00
Week Budget Need	\$1,718.00
Adult Envelopes	684.00
Offertory	103.00
Total Weekend	\$787.00

Immaculate Conception, Sumner

Sacrificial Giving 8/11/19	Total: \$1,193.50
Week Budget Need	\$2,190.00
Adult Envelopes	1,087.00
Offertory	65.00
Coffee & Rolls	36.00
Kleenex Challenge	5.00
Total Weekend	\$1,193.50

Holy Name, West Union

Sacrificial Giving 8/11/19	Total: \$3,624.00
Week Budget Need	\$2,594.00
Adult Offering	1,500.00
Youth Offering	16.00
Offertory	28.00
Soc. Jus./Poor & Needy	30.00
Holy Day - 8/15	25.00
Cemetery	25.00
Donation	2000.00
Total Weekend	\$3,624.00

Stewardship Quote

In today's second reading, St. Paul encourages us not to grow weary or lose heart, but to persevere in following Jesus. Our willingness to give of ourselves, even in the face of conflict and division, is one way to measure our discipleship.

Children's Budget Envelopes are available in the church entrances. Take one each week for offertory or take some home and bring them back the next weekend.



Prayer Requests

Please remember in your prayers people from our Cluster who are sick and requesting prayer:

From Immaculate Conception:

Juliana Blaylock, Judy Brandt, Jim Duffy, Joyce Frank, Michelle Heidemann, Betty Humpal, Barb Hyman, Noreen Miller, Brian Piphó, Pauline Rader, Rhonda Rochford, Joyce Teeling, Brooke Toussaint

From St. Francis of Assisi:

Addie Hollinrake, Dorothy Lau, Helen Scheidel

From Holy Name:

Kenny Bouska, Mary Dunt Buenzow, Steve & Linda Dunt, Hayden Grimm, Bea Heffemen, Marion Heying, Jill Krambeer, Gerald Kramer, Eileen Lahey, Pat Loomer, Roger Michael, Marilyn Miller, Raelonna Patrick, Inez Schmitt, Robert & Betty Scott, Leona Steinlage, Florian Franzen, Barb Van Horn, Arlene Langreck, Edmund Schmitt

From St. Peter:

Elizabeth Goddard, Laverne Imoehl, Albert Matt, Donna Miller, Jonathan Oakland, Ken Wagner

JOIN A PRAYER CHAIN OR UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION

Prayer is our most important ministry!
 Contact these ladies to be included :

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SFA - Anne Sellers dsellers@iowatelecom.net
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IC - Lorraine Piphó 563-578-5491

SOCIAL JUSTICE

Cluster Social Justice Committee "KLEENEX CHALLENGE" during August in all parishes for the area schools. During the Offertory, parishioners will be asked to bring boxes of Kleenex or monetary donations to the Altar.

KLEENEX CHALLENGE SCOREBOARD			
SP	IC	HN	SFA
38	35	27	24



County Food Shelves

August - Back to School Month

Suggested Items: Fruit roll-ups, snacks, pudding, jell-o, tuna, peanut butter, granola bars

FAITH FORMATION

Thank you to everyone that attended and helped with our Annual Reading Camp. This year's camp was another success enjoyed by many youths.

St. Peter's is in need of one Faith Formation teacher. If you are interested please contact Mary Olson.

St. Francis of Assisi needs 3 teachers for the upcoming year: 3rd/4th grd., 7th/8th grd., 9th grd. Contact Holly if you are interested. 563-419-4661 or streeterh@uiu.edu **ALSO** - if you have or know of a kindergarten student who will be joining us this year contact Holly so books can be ordered.

Saturday, Sept 21st, Teen Retreat for all 7th through 10th graders in the St Joseph the Worker Cluster. The NET retreat will be held at Holy Name Parish Hall in West Union beginning at 1pm and closing with the 6pm Mass followed by a potluck supper. The NET retreat is led by young Catholic adults in an interactive format. The theme, *Strength in Numbers* will explore the role of authentic friendships and their ability to empower us to greatness. **NEEDED:** 5 families willing to host 2 to 3 members of the retreat team on Saturday night, Sept 21st. Contact Michelle at 641.420.5055.

HOLY NAME COOKBOOKS

Need a cookbook?
Only \$20 at Holy Name Now!

Last call IMPACT cohort begins in September 2019.

This two-year lay formation program will be held at St. Joseph Church, Elkader. To learn more about IMPACT contact Mary Pedersen, dbqcaf@dbqarch.org.

CLUSTER NEWS

HELP needed at IC to water the out door flowers. Anyone who can take a week at a time should contact Peggy Becker at 578-8184 (home) or 319-23-6146 (cell). Times left include Aug. 18 to Aug. 24, Aug. 25 to Aug. 31 and all of September.

SAVE THE DATE:



Sunday, August 25th

Dad's Belgium Waffles @ Holy Name Parish
This is an important fundraiser for our parish.
Come join us for breakfast & fellowship!

St. Francis of Assisi Finance Council Meeting originally scheduled for Thursday, August 22nd has been rescheduled to **Tuesday, August 27th.**

SAVE THE DATE:



Sunday, September 15th Immaculate Conception Fall Dinner & Silent Auction. This is an important fundraiser for our parish. Support your Parish - come out and enjoy the fun!!

AREA EVENTS

Welcome to Medicare FREE 2 hour seminar

Thursday, August 22nd - 6:00 - 8:00 pm
Gunderson Palmer Lutheran Hospital
Boeke Freed Education Center (Lower Level)
Register by August 14th - Call (563) 422-3811

Sunday, September 8th
Our Lady of Seven Dolors , Festina
FALL FESTIVAL 10:30 am to 12:30 pm

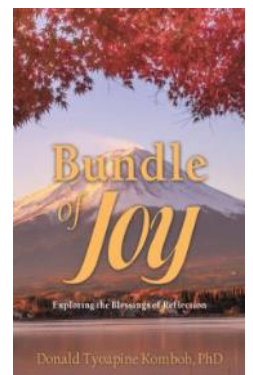
Grandparenting

LEAVING A LEGACY OF FAITH

The grandparenting meeting that was scheduled for Saturday, August 24th at St. Mary's in Waverly has been **CANCELED.**

Fr. Komboh has published a short book of prayerful reflections now available for \$12. This book is the product of his time spent at St. Paul's College Seminary in Liberia. The reflections are short and it is hoped that they will help lead you deeper into prayer and reflection

To purchase your copy, contact your parish secretary or Father.



MASSES & INTENTIONS

8/19/19 - Monday

No Mass - Pray for Vocations

Judges 2:11-19, Ps. 106:34-44, Matt. 19:16-22

8/20/19 -Tuesday

9:00 am, Hillcrest Nursing Home

Word & Communion

9:00 am, HN

+ Harold Spies

Judges 6:11-24, Ps. 85:9-14, Matt. 19:23-30

8/21/19 – Wednesday

9:00 am, Maple Crest Manor, Fayette

+ Marcy Blong

Judges 9:6-15, Ps. 21:2-7, Matt. 20:1-16

8/22/19 – Thursday

9:00 am, SP

+ Special Intention (ABM)

Judges 11:29-39, Ps. 40:5-10, Matt. 22:1-14

8/23/19 – Friday

9:00 am, IC

+ Margaret Easton

Ruth 1:1-22, Ps. 146:5-10, Matt. 22:34-40

8/24/19 – Saturday

4:00 pm SP

+ Beverly Friedrich

6:00 pm, SFA

+ Joe Angerillo

Rev. 21:9-14, Ps. 145:10-18, John 1:45-51

8/25/19 – Sunday

8:00 am, IC

+ LaVerne Bouska

10:00 am, HN

+ For The People

Is. 66:18-21, Ps. 117:1-2, Heb. 12:5-13, Luke 13:22-30



RECONCILIATION

Saturday:

3:30 p.m.....St. Peter, Clermont

5:30 p.m..... St. Francis of Assisi, Fayette

Sunday:

7:30 a.m..... Immaculate Conception, Sumner

9:30 a.m..... Holy Name, West Union

LITURGICAL MINISTERS - AUG. 24 & AUG. 25

Liturgical Ministers



St. Peter – Saturday 4:00 pm

Lector – Jerry Kelly

Eucharistic Ministers – Joanie Goddard

Bob Tillman

Georgia Klein

Gifts – John & Lorna Chapman Family

Ushers – Tom Matt, Bob Bollman

Greeters – Tom Matt

Servers – Isaac Brincks, Aaron Chapman

Money Counters – Randy & Denise Henning

St. Francis – Saturday 6:00 pm

Lector – Kari Yauk

Eucharistic Ministers - Maggie Gardner

Lavell Kuennen

Mark Kuennen

Alice Wagner

Gifts – Mark & Lavell Kuennen

Ushers – Rollin Fink

Tom Lamphere

Leon Lentz

Dave Collins

Servers – Cowley Family

Immaculate Conception – Sunday 8:00 am

Lector – Lon Tisue

Eucharistic Ministers - Peggy Becker

Jerry Becker

Lon Tisue

Gifts – Steve Corcoran

Ushers – Jerry & Peggy Becker

Russell Schmitt

Greeters – Kay Luebbers, Dorothy Mangan

Servers – Jacob Britt, Mason Britt

Money Counters - Steve Corcoran

Tom Yungtum

Holy Name – Sunday 10:00 am

Lector - John Baldwin

Eucharistic Ministers - Barb Heins

Jason Moellers

John Baldwin

Gifts – Ryan Hoey Family

Ushers – Craig Schmitt & Dennis Soppe

Greeter – Ryan Hoey Family

Servers – Ana Jones, Abby Schmitt,

Carsten Lensing

Money Counters – Barb Heins

John Baldwin