

January 8, 2017
The Epiphany of the Lord

All Saints Catholic Church

Mission Statement: "Rejoicing with gratitude in God's blessings, we invite and welcome all to share in the fullness of the Catholic faith. We live our baptismal call through worship, teaching, and serving one another."

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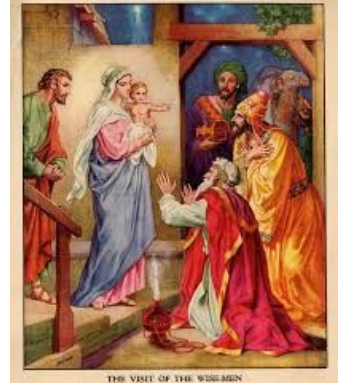
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We celebrate today the great feast of Epiphany. Originally it was the Christmas feast of the Eastern part of the Christian Church. In the Western part the stress of Christmas was and is on the birth of Christ as a little human child. In the Eastern part the stress is more on Jesus coming as the Lord and Savior of all. This is the reality the liturgy stresses today: Jesus came to save and bring life to all. No one is excluded, no one is a stranger to him.

May all come to know Jesus, alive here among us.



Resumes Tuesday
January 17th at
6:00am

Faith
Formation
resumes at
6:30pm
Wednesday
January 11th

Knights of Columbus will meet at 6pm Sunday January 8th. The meeting will begin with supper. All men of the parish are invited and welcome to join the group!



I would like to extend a heartfelt thank you for everyone who brought in toys and gifts for the Faith Formation Advent Giving Tree. It was a very successful project because of everyone's graciousness and support. Because of your generosity, many less fortunate children in the Stuart area had a more merry and blessed Christmas. Thank you again everyone for your support.

May God always be at your side, Cathy Hicks, Director of Religious Education

GET CONNECTED!

Hosted by Iowa Catholic Radio

MOSAIC Luncheon - Thursday, January 12, 2017
12:00 to 1:00 p.m.

St. Boniface Catholic Church in Waukee
Doors open at 11:30

Enjoy lunch and start the New Year by igniting your love for the Eucharist. **Tim Francis**, the keynote speaker, will share extraordinary miracles surrounding the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ and how the science behind these miracles is bringing Catholics back to the source and summit of our Catholic faith; the Eucharist! This is not to be missed! Make your reservation today at www.IowaCatholicRadio.com/events, visit us on Facebook or call Iowa Catholic Radio at [515-223-1150](tel:515-223-1150). Seating is limited, so sign up soon. Questions: contact Martha at 515-414-5116



Parish News & Events

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Sunday 1/8 10am Mass For the People <i>Father will be out of town through 1-12-17</i>	Monday 1/9	Tuesday 1/10 No Mass	Wednesday 1/11 6:30pm Faith Formation Resumes Birthday: Anna Byrnes	Thursday 1/12 9am No Mass	Friday 1/13 Mass 8:30am For Joe Lemar	Saturday 1/14 3:30pm Confessions 4:30pm Mass For Ila Mae & Tony Pivonka
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Tithing Envelope boxes will contain an envelope for **Altar & Rosary dues** as we have done in the past as well as 12 **Repair Fund** envelopes, one for each first of the month building fund collection. This will eliminate the need to stuff them in the bulletins each month. The boxes are available in the gathering space at this time.

Financial Report for the week of January 1, 2017 **Tithes** \$3,493.00 **Children:** \$29.23 **Building Fund:** \$483.81
Special: Retirement Fund \$10.00; Human Development \$10.00; Christmas \$130.00 **2016 ADA** Balance Due \$9,046.33

A Reminder: The next All Saints Bingo at the Community Care Center is January 9th.
Start time is 2:30pm. Thank you for your support.



Around the Diocese March for Life signup It's time to start thinking about joining the pilgrimage in January to Washington, D.C. and be a part of the annual March for Life. Lowans for LIFE is securing several buses to take pro-life lowans to the march, which will be on Jan. 27. Go to lowansForLIFE.org for details.

JustFaith It's time to think about being part of the spring **JustFaith** process. This is a transformative, small-group program that helps participants connect their faith with the needs of the world. Questions? Contact Susie Tierney at the Center for Social Ministry, 515-782-3054 or centerforsocialministry@gmail.com.

Beginning Experience If you become widowed, separated or divorced and are suffering alone, consider coming to a Beginning Experience. This is a group that offers support from those who've also lost a spouse. Questions? Contact Dana Reed at 515-975-3745 or Mike Losee at 515-360-8268.

Weekly Prayer Requests

Please pray for: *Ruby Waltz, Bob & Mary Dickson, Mary Doud.*

To request prayer for someone for publication in the bulletin, please contact the church office at 515-523-1943 or via email at: stjohnallsaints@gmail.com. **Be sure to include the person's name, your contact information, and that you have permission to submit the name.**

SATURDAY 1-14-17 4:30pm Mass Liturgical Ministers	Rosary Leader Mary Doud Ushers Marty & Julie Doud	Cross Bearer Eric Tiernan Altar Server Connie Drake	Lector Carol Smith Commentator Roni Wilson	Greeters & Gifts Eric & Margaret Tiernan	Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Jeanine Holland Jodi Bassett Sr. Nesta	REMEMBER: If you cannot serve, please be kind and find your own replacement.
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SUNDAY 1-15-17 10am Mass Liturgical Ministers	Ushers Jim Doud Tom Doud Cross Bearer Tom Doud	Altar Servers Riley Doud Taylor Ommen Cam Tigges Cadence Hammen	Lector Wayne Nosbisch Commentator Daisy Nevins	Greeters & Gifts Jason & Jennifer Tigges	Ex. Ministers of the Eucharist Jo Beaman Amy Doud Tyler Johnston	
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