THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: St. Bernard’s – Sunday’s 9:30-9:45a.m. and by appointment
St. John’s – Saturday’s 5:00-5:15 p.m. and by appointment, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel – Sunday’s 7:30-7:45 a.m. and by appointment

PRESIDER: Fr. Mark Stoll
St. John
Eucharistic Ministrants: Ed Vogl (HB)
Deacon Greg, Julie Rohe
Julie Eich, Maureen Freese
Gary Schmitz
Rich Mueggenberg, Don Rowe
Bob & Irene Schroeder
First Communicants
Richie Tomka
Allan Pudenz, Dean Pudenz, Tim Pudenz
First Communicants
Ryan & Kyle Sundrup
Ben & Samantha Schmitz
Colin Johnson
Carter Pudenz
First Communicants, Shirley Tomka
First Communicants, Kenny Nees
Wayne & Angie Tigges
Gene Nieland
Clyde Snyder, Kendra Stork
First Communicants, Myrna Snyder
Macy Tiefenthaler

Money Counters:
Mary Jo Berning
Scott & Donna Wiederin
Rita Bruch
Marvin & Betty Huegerich
Gene Nieland

Finances for Week of April 8

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FROM THE DESK OF THE Regional PAROCHIAL VICAR: On Third Sunday of Easter I am here.
Thank you everyone who attended our Divine Mercy Celebration last Sunday.
This week, Wednesday April 18, 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. and Thursday April 19, noon-5:00 p.m., I will be assisting as an on-air host with the Spring Pledge Drive on KFHC/KOIA Catholic Radio, 88.1 FM. The signal barely reaches Breda and can be heard more clearly by visiting www.thecradio.com and clicking on the “Listen Live” link under the LISTEN drop down menu and clicking on the play button which opens a popup box where you can join the mailing list or click ‘no thanks’ and then listen online.
Next Sunday we celebrate First Holy Communion with our second graders at each of our Masses. The list of candidates may be found in each parish’s section below.
Please remember your parish in your will.....Your bequest is a testimony to your faith in our future. — Fr. Mark

For All Parishes:
- DAA [Diocesan Annual Appeal] supports the pastoral, educational, spiritual and human services that benefit thousands of families throughout the 24 counties in the Diocese of Sioux City! The diocese also helps advance the work of parishes with financial assistance and support series. Without your generous support the vital work of the Church would not be possible. We need 100% participation. We need 103 cards from Arcadia, 76 cards from Mount Carmel, and 126 cards from Breda returned. Donating is easy! You may return your DAA envelopes into the collection basket or drop them off at the parish office. Donations can also be made online at http://scdiocese.org/daa/. If you have not returned your 2017 DAA pledge card, please do so this week to help us meet our goals by June 15.
BAPTISM CLASS ... if you are expecting a child or wishing to baptize a child, please contact the parish office at Breda to register for baptism class [if this is your first child or if it has been more than five years since the baptism of your previous child]. The date of Baptism is to be arranged with the pastor after completion of a Baptism Class [held quarterly]. The next Baptism Class is Wednesday May 16, 7:00 p.m. at the Family Ministry Room at St. Bernard-Breda.

PAUL: APOSTLE OF CHRIST was released by Sony Pictures to movie theaters on March 23. The Executive Producer is Eric Groth of ODB Films, who produced Full of Grace and visited us last June. In order to bring the movie to Carroll we need people make requests. At this point the closest locations are: Sioux City, West Des Moines, Altoona, Ames, Council Bluffs, Ankeny, and Omaha. For more information visit www.paulmovie.com

MARRIAGE NULLITY WORKSHOP will be held on Monday, May 14, 2018 at 6 p.m. at Holy Spirit Church (Greteman Center) in Carroll, Iowa. To register, contact Torri at the Tribunal, 712.233.7533 or terrin@sdcioese.org. The workshop is open to all, especially those who are divorced and desire to remarry in the Catholic Church.

CAMP CYAJO registration is open for grades 4-6, June 10-12: MASTER BUILDER, and 7-12, June 13-15: WALKING WITH GOD, online at https://sdcioese.org/camp/ until May 25 or until 125 campers are registered for each session. Cost is $175/camper [not including t-shirt]. This diocesan camp is held at Twin Lakes Bible Camp near Manson. Adult and Teen leaders are needed and may register at the same place by April 10. For more information see posters in church entrances.

MASS OFFERING REQUESTS are to be given to Fr. Mark so he may record and schedule them. Thank you.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2019 will be held in Panama January 21-28, 2019, to Panama City, Panama, to celebrate World Youth Day with Father David Esquilliano, who is fluent in Spanish, serving as the chaplain. Cost is $3,100-$3,345. More information may be found on posters in the church entrance, at https://christthekingcatholiccommunity.org/youth-ministry, in The Catholic Globe, and at https://www.canterburypilgrimages.com/allpilgrimages/siouxcity. Register online with Canterbury Pilgrimages or by contacting the parish office for a registration form.

COLLECTION ENVELOPES from any of these three parishes may be placed in any of the three parishes collection baskets and your contribution will be forwarded to your parish.

NEW PARISHIONERS may register in the parish of their choice by visiting http://christthekingcatholiccommunity.org/parish-registration [under the ABOUT drop-down menu].

PERSONS WISHING TO JOIN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, whether baptized in another faith or unbaptized and over the age of seven [7], may contact the pastor at any time of the year to begin the process known as RCIA [Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults/RCIC] [Rite of Christian Initiation of Children].

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR DOMESTIC ABUSE: The Iowa Catholic Daughters of the Americas have designated April as Domestic Abuse Prevention Month. Domestic violence programs across the state are continuing to see increases in services to victims. These increases demonstrate how important our community’s support is. The men, women and children that domestic abuse affects not only the families but also all the people that the families come in contact with, at work, at school, at church and socially. Our local Catholic Daughters will be taking up a special collection on the weekend of May 5-6 to support the victims of domestic abuse. Please be generous in your support of their efforts.

FOSTER GRANDPARENT PROGRAM OF CARROLL COUNTY: If you are at least 55 years of age and enjoy working with children? You have an opportunity to make a difference in a child’s life. Foster Grandparents are needed in Carroll County to work in schools, daycares and other educational settings and you receive a small tax-free stipend for your service. Contact the FGP office at 712-689-5264 and learn about this valuable program and see if you qualify (792-4212).

ACCURA HEALTHCARE VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION PROGRAM will be held on Monday, April 16 at 2 p.m.

ST. MARTIN, ODEBOLT, SPRING SALAD LUNCHEON & CARD PARTY will be held on Tuesday, April 24 from 11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m. [carryouts available] and Euchre, Bridge and 500 played from 1-3 p.m. Cost is $7. Sponsored by the St. Martin Ladies Guild.

St. John: Parish Office, Julie Eich, 712-689-2595, Hours: Mon. & Fri. 7:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

FIRST Eucharist Candidates: Ryan Igou [son of Jamie/Amy] and Bailey Lux [daughter of Kraig/Renee].

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel: Parish Office, 712-673-2582, Hours: Tues. - Fri. 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

FIRST Eucharist Candidates: Abrey Pudenz [daughter of Casey/Lane], Grant Nepple [son of Mark/Tami], Carlson Wiederin [son of Craig/Lisa], and Hazel Clausen [daughter of Jason/Debra].

Choir Practice will be held on Monday, April 16 at 6:30 p.m.

Church Cleaning (general dusting, vacuuming, and bathroom cleaning) is being done once or twice a month. Please be generous in your support of their efforts.

St. Bernard: Parish Office, 712-673-2582, Hours: Tues. - Fri. 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

FIRST Eucharist Candidates: Ryan Lucas [son of Greg/Mary], Breely Knobbe [daughter of Travis/Sara], and Claire Allman [daughter of Chris/Sheri].

The Nursing Home Birthday Committee has scheduled a birthday party for Dolores Koster on Friday, April 20 at 2 p.m. at Swan Place. If you need a ride to the party, please call Arlene Mueggenberg at 673-2649. Everyone in the area is invited to help Dolores celebrate.

Lending Library is available at St. Bernard in the entrance of the church. HAVE YOU CHECKED IT OUT?

Kuemper News:

KHS Music department is hosting a free car wash, Saturday, April 28th, 1-5 p.m. at Bomgaard’s parking lot (north east side). Donations will be accepted at the car wash to help send Kuemper High School Band and Chorus students on an educational music trip to Boston, in the spring of 2019. Any Band or Chorus member or the Kuemper office (792-3596) may be contacted, as well, to make a donation. Thank you for your continued support.

Kuemper Ball News - Kuemper Ball: Saturday May 5th. As a tribute to the significant role that Catholic education has played in this area for many generations, “Generations of Pride” is this year’s Kuemper Ball theme. Since the first Catholic school opened in Carroll County in 1874, Catholic education has been changing lives and impacting our families and our communities. Many of you likely have multi-generational stories of Catholic education in the Carroll area; we are asking alumni and friends to PLEASE share a photo to tell that story! We would like to display your multi-generational photos and stories at the Ball. Please email any photos or stories to ball@kuemper.org by April 15th.

The 34th Annual Friends of Kuemper Ball is quickly approaching. If you have not been contacted, we apologize, and ask that you please call Kuemper (712.792.3313) or go online (www.kuemper.org) to secure your tickets and raffles. We hope you can join us at the Fieldhouse on Saturday, May 5th for “Generations of Pride.”

God Bless You