FROM THE PASTOR... On March 19 most parishes across the Diocese of Sioux City, including Breda, Arcadia, and Templeton hosted “THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU”. This Tuesday, April 2, Fr. Schott will be at Our Lady of Mount Carmel, 5:30-7:00 p.m. for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Thank you to everyone who took advantage of this opportunity. Thank you to everyone who has returned your 90 Days of Gratitude and Giving pledge cards. Again, we ask everyone students in grades K-12 and adults to recommit and or make a new comment to place your Sunday envelopes in the collection basket every Sunday and Holy Day and to a parish ministry. Can we increase parish participation in ministries, service, income, gratitude, and giving in each parish by 10% by Pentecost Sunday? Please remember your parish in your will.....Your bequest is a testimony to your faith in our future. —Fr. Mark
NEEDED: cantors for the Easter Vigil at Halbur and Glidden. Please contact the parish office for more information and to sign up.

NEEDED: an average of at least $1,000.00 per household each fiscal year to pay our bills. Five [5] of the six [6] are at least three [3] to nine [9] months behind. Can you help us?!!!

INCOME REPORTS for each parish report contributions from parishioners [cash and checks, dropped in collection basket or mailed to the parish office] using their weekly contribution envelopes are noted as GENERAL FUND-ADULT or GENERAL FUND-YOUTH. Contributions [cash and checks, dropped in collection basket or mailed to the parish office] from parishioners without using their weekly contribution envelopes and non-parishioners are noted at GENERAL FUND-LOOSE due to the extra steps it takes to record these contributions to the donors. Please always use your weekly contribution envelopes.

FRIENDS OF KUEMPER BALL DONATIONS are needed by April 8 to have your name listed in the Ball Book. If you have not been contacted to support the Kuemper Ball we may no longer have your current phone number on file. We have found that many of the phone numbers in our database are no longer current. If you would like to purchase a Ball ticket, make a donation to the Ball and/or purchase raffle tickets please call Cindy Lawler at 792-2212 before April 8th if you want your donation listed in the Ball Book. You may also stop by the Alumni office on the second floor of St. Angela's during regular business hours from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday. Donations and raffle purchases may also be made online at: https://kuemper.org/alumni_ways_to_give/

Kuemper Ball Thank you for your support of the Friends of Kuemper Ball!!

90 DAYS OF GRATITUDE AND GIVING is an invitation for all parishioners to make a commitment to the parish in which they are registered. Information, including the pledge card, is available in church entrances and on the website. Every parishioner grade K to retired is asked to return a pledge card and/or Stewardship/Ministry signup form by May to their parish office after prayerful consideration. Your cooperation is appreciated to help our parishes to grow stronger in our faith and mission.

MEN’S CONFERENCE sponsored by the Diocese of Sioux City, is Saturday 6 April 2019, 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at all Saints Parish/St. Joseph Church-Le Mars. Register at www.scdiocese.org/mens-ministry by April 5. Cost is $35/man. Featured speakers: Antonio Banuelos and Hector Molina.


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 Tuesday April 23, 7:00 p.m. at the Family Ministry Room at St. Bernard-Breda.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES has set up a fund to assist flood victims here in our Diocese. Donations can be sent directly to Catholic Charities at 1601 Military Road, Sioux City, IA 51103 or donations can be made online at: https://www.cathchar.org/give/

MARRIAGE NULLITY WORKSHOP will be held on Tuesday, May 14, 6:00 p.m. at St. John Paul II Holy Spirit Greteman Center, 421 E. Bluff St., Carroll. To register, contact Terri at the Tribunal by phone, 712.233.7533 (if reach voice mail leave your name, phone number and how many are attending) or by e-mail, ter-rin@scdiocese.org. The workshop is open to all, especially those who are divorced and desire to remarry in the Catholic Church. The workshop concludes when all materials have been covered, allowing additional time for individual consultations for anyone who wish to seek specifics to their situation. If you are unable to attend on May 14, other sessions offered May 7 at St. Michael-Whitemore, May 21 at Holy Cross Parish [Blessed Sacrament Center]-Sioux City; and May 28 at Spalding Elementary Cafeteria-Alton.

DID YOU KNOW—your parishioner information including giving history is available by signing up at https://siouxcity.parishsoftfamilysuite.com/Register.aspx? Please allow about two weeks for giving history to be posted on your parishioner information page.

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL SPRING VENDOR FAIR, Sunday, March 31, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Mt. Carmel Parish Hall.

ST. JOHN PAUL II PARISH, STALEY’S CHICKEN DINNER, Sunday, March 31, 4-7 p.m., Greteman Center. Adults $10; Children (3-11) $6. Carry-outs available.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS & SACRED HEART GUILD FISH FRY Friday, April 5, Templeton Center, 5-7:30 p.m. Fish dinner served with homemade salad bar and desserts. Adults $10; Children (6-12) $5.

ST. ROSE OF LIMA #6 CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS MEETING Thursday, April 4th, Stations of the Cross at 5:10 followed by Mass at 5:30 p.m. Dinner and meeting to follow. Guest speaker will be Kari Neuzback from The Garden View. Make reservations to Bev Vonnahme at 712-689-2211 by Monday, April 1st.

ST. ROSE OF LIMA #6 CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS GARAGE SALE Friday, April 5th 4-8 p.m. and Saturday April 6th 8-12:00 Noon at Regent Joan Danzer’s residence-733 San Salvador Ave, Carroll. Easter décor, summer clothes, knick knacks, much misc. and BAKED GOODS! All proceeds will go for expenses for members to attend the CDA State Convention.

ST. ROSE OF LIMA #6 CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS will be sponsoring a $200 scholarship to an 8th grade student who will be attending Kuemper Catholic High School in the 2019-2020 school year. Forms will be available through the school and CCORE scholarship programs. Deadline is May 1st. Any questions contact Bev Vonnahme 712-689-2211.

+++ ST. BERNARD-BREDA

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CON-FIRMANDI confirmed March 24 by Bishop Nickless: Ethan Pietig, Blake Obrecht, Chelsey Schultz, Evan Wermimont, and Jack Tiefenthaler.

CHORUS PRACTICE on Sunday, March 31 at 9:15 a.m. in school.

ST. BERNARD SOUP SUPPER, Friday, April 5, 5:45 – 6:45 p.m., Mary Nieland Center before First Friday Adoration and Benediction. Free will offering accepted.

Finances for Week of March 24

General Fund-Adult $ 1,705.00
General Fund-Youth $ 0.00
General Fund-Loose $ 111.00
Candle Money $ 8.00
Other Income $ 2,790.51
Budgeted Mo. Giving $35,310.90
Income for the Month $18,943.89
Expenses for the Week $ 7,987.46
Expenses for the Month $12,328.18

MINISTERS-April 7
PRESIDER: Fr. Mark Stoll
Greeters: Harry/Mary Kay Uhlenkamp (M), Volunteers (S)
Rosary Leaders: Leonard/Jean Grote (HB)
Servers: Jordan & Kendra Stork, Meridith Sturm
Readers: Myrna Snyder
Ushers: Rich Mueggenberg, Don Rowe, Tom Wittry
Gift Bearers: Clair/Mynna Snyder
Eucharistic Ministers: Jolene Eschien, Dale Mueggenberg, Joannel Koster, Leonard Grote (HB)
Money Counters: Dan Nieland, Gene Nieland

+++ ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST-ARCADIA

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CON-FIRMANDI confirmed March 24 by Bishop Nickless: Jacob Blum, Britnee Irlbeck, Brianna Lux, and Dayna Toft.

CHURCH CLEANING Saturday, April 13, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Thank you in advance for all the help with this large undertaking.

ED/DOROTHY VOGL MEMORIAL
SCHOLARSHIP applications are available in the back of Church. This is open to students in grades 8-11 from St. John Parish, Arcadia OR descendants of Ed/Dorothy Vogl. Applications are due to Bailey Hackathorn at Kuemper by April 12.

Finances for Week of March 17
General Fund-Adult $3,304.00
General Fund-Youth $0.00
General Fund-Loose $44.00
Fish Fry $499.00
Budgeted Mo. Giving $20,588.17
Income for the Month $148,843.37
Expenses for the Week $3,637.49
Expenses for the Month $13,958.92

MINISTERS-April 7
PRESIDER: Fr. Tim Schott
Ushers/Greeters/Gift Bearers: Brian/Ashten Pottebaum
Rosary Leaders: Jerome & Norma Henkenius
Servers: Ryan & Kyle Sundrup, Cole Collison
Reader: Sheila Higgins
Eucharistic Ministers: Shirley Tomka (HB), Margaret Gruba, Kris Collison
Money Counters: Rita Bruch, Ralph Lampman

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL-MOUNT CARMEL

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CONFIRMANDI confirmed March 24 by Bishop Nickless: Adam Nees, Devon Bauer, Abby Nees, and Haley Berger.

PLEASE RETURN THE BABY BOTTLES from the Knights of Columbus baby bottle program and place them in the baby crib in the back of Our Lady of Mount Carmel church. Gary Schmitz will see that they are collected after Mass.

150TH CENTENNIAL t-shirts are going on now until May 1st. This will be our final order before the centennial. The forms will be in back of church or can get a hold of Marie Pudenz at 830-8718.

Finances for Week of March 17
General Fund-Adult $1,595.00
General Fund-Youth $16.00
General Fund-Loose $400.00
150th Items $95.00
Budgeted Mo. Giving $15,732.19
Income for the Month $11,006.00
Expenses for the Week $427.56
Expenses for the Month $15,582.65

MINISTERS-April 7
PRESIDER: Fr. Mark Stoll
Rosary Leaders: Wayne/Angie Tiggies
Servers: Gabriel Clausen, Owen Nepple, Lucas Reising
Reader: Youth, Ken Nees
Ushers: Youth
Gift Bearers: Youth

Eucharistic Ministers: Marie Baumhover, Alan Lenmer, Joe Lenaghan
Money Counters: Dennis/Connie Ludwig, Allen/Nancy Pudenz

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ST. AUGUSTINE-HALBUR
Holy Angels MWS

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CONFIRMANDI confirmed March 24 by Bishop Nickless: Caleb Rotert, Jacob Hugebach, Mikayla Riesberg, Makenna Hoffman, Hunter Rolfos, and Jayden Petersen [who also made his First Holy Communion].

APRIL LITURGY SCHEDULES
(including Holy Week) are available at the Church Entrances. Please check if your name is listed!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE TOWARD EASTER FLOWERS for the altars please contact Velma Williams, Marilyn Eischeid, or Karen Prebeck. We truly appreciate this kind of act in Memory of your Loved Ones and it truly beautifies our Churches.

Finances for Week of March 24
General Fund-Adult $1,312.00
General Fund-Youth $0.36
General Fund-Loose $22.13
Choir $75.00
Guild $190.00
Holy Angels Raffle $4,420.00
Rent $323.20
Budgeted Mo. Giving $16,905.12
Income for the Month $15,696.08
Expenses for the Week $6,151.48
Expenses for the Month $15,013.24

MINISTERS-April 6
PRESIDER: Fr. Tim Schott
Servers: Mason & Miranda Rohe
Reader: Glenn Dentlinger
Ushers: Ivan Halbur, Matt Hinners
Gift Bearers: Gene/JoAnn Nepel Fam.
Eucharistic Minister: Vern Behrens
Church Cleaners: Kurt/Jackie Branning, Loren/Linda Bruch

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SAINT HEART-TEMPLETON

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CONFIRMANDI confirmed March 24 by Bishop Nickless: Brooklyn Danner, Peter Dea, and Grant Nielson.

APRIL LITURGY SCHEDULES
(including Holy Week) are available at the Church Entrances. Please check if your name is listed!

DAA NEWS: We are close to hitting our diocesan goal. If all pledges are paid, we need only $123 to hit our goal. If you have not given to DAA 2018, please give now.

WORK SCHEDULE for the April 5 Sacred Heart Parish Fish Fry is available at the Church entrances or at the templeionwa.com website. Please check if your name is listed! We need everyone’s help to make this another successful parish venture!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE TOWARD EASTER FLOWERS for the altars please contact Velma Williams, Marilyn Eischeid, or Karen Prebeck. We truly appreciate this kind of act in Memory of your Loved Ones and it truly beautifies our Churches.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS COURT OUR LADY OF FATIMA #1492 MEETING Monday, April 8, 7 p.m., Manning Sacred Heart Hall. Reminder: Keep saving your change for Mary’s Choice until the May meeting.

TEMPLETON SENIOR CITIZENS, Thursday, April 4, 11 a.m., Corner Station.

TEMPLETON LITTLE LEAGUE SIGN-UP, Tuesday, April 2, 5:30 to 7:00 p.m., Templeton City Hall. T Ball…ages 4-6 and Pee Wee…Ages 7-8. Cost is $30/player or $50/family with multiple players. Please bring a copy of their birth certificate.

FOR SALE: Cemetery Lot at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Templeton. Block 9, Lot 4, Spaces 3 & 4. The Lot is located in the South West Corner of the new section of Cemetery next to lane. If interested contact Jim Drees at 712-669-3413.

Finances for Week of March 24
General Fund-Adult $390.00
General Fund-Youth $0.00
General Fund-Loose $94.00
Candles $106.00
Budgeted Mo. Giving $17,333.16
Income for the Month $16,804.03
Expenses for the Week $12,137.69
Expenses for the Month $22,710.11

MINISTERS-April 6
PRESIDER: Fr. Mark Stoll
Servers: Kyra & Grace Wolteman
Reader: Deb Hansen
Ushers: Steve Irlbeck, Bruce Irlmeier
Gift Bearers: Tom/Teresa Horbach Fam.
Eucharistic Minister: Charlene Rupiper
Church Cleaners: Tina Balk, Melanie Bauer

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ST. ELIZABETH SETON-GLIDDEN

Finances for Week of March 24
General Fund-Adult $492.00
General Fund-Youth $3.00
General Fund-Loose $146.00
Budgeted Mo. Giving $8,057.83
Income this month $3,491.00
Expenses for the Week $0.00
Expenses for the Month $5,022.26

MINISTERS-April 6
PRESIDER: Fr. Mark Stoll
Greeters: Jackie King Family
Servers: Summer & Ayla Toms
Reader: Dave McNamara
Usher: Rick St. Peter
Eucharistic Ministers: Keith/Deb Kult, Gary Messerich
**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].

**BAPTISM CLASS** is offered quarterly to parents expecting their first child or if it has been more than five years since the baptism of a previous child]. Please contact the Breda office to register.

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION** is to begin 6-12 months before the wedding day. If either the bride or the groom is not a Catholic or has been previously married, additional time may be necessary for preparation. Please contact the pastor so that all preparations may be completed in time for the wedding and marriage. Remember, a wedding is just a day, a marriage is a LIFETIME!

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

**THOSE DISCERNING GOD’S CALL** to be a priest, deacon, sister, or brother, may speak with the pastor or call the Diocesan Vocation office at 712-233-7522.

**COLLECTION ENVELOPES** for any of the CTKCC parishes may be placed in any of the parishes’ collection baskets and your contribution will be forwarded to your parish.

**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS** are due Thursdays-noon.

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