**LITURGICAL CALENDAR**

**MONDAY February 24**
Monday of the Seventh Week in Ordinary Time
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-Eugene (Butch) Schmitz+ Arcadia

**TUESDAY February 25**
Tuesday of the Seventh Week in Ordinary Time
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-Art/Marjory Gerken+ Arcadia
- 8:00 a.m. NO MASS Breda
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-Arleen Neu+ Templeton

***ASH WEDNESDAY February 26***
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-L/D of Erwin/Rita Vonnahme Fam Arcadia
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-Sandy Johnson; David Sibbel+ Halbur
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-Joe/Nellie Baumhover+ Mount Carmel
- 8:00 a.m. NO Rosary at Holy Angels MWS Roselle
- 12:00 p.m. Mass-Doc Steinkamp+ Breda
- 12:00 p.m. Mass-Sally Drees+ Templeton
- 5:00 p.m. Mass-Richard Ricke+ Arcadia
- 5:30 p.m. Mass-L/D Mem of Johnston Family Glidden

**THURSDAY February 27**
Thursday After Ash Wednesday
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-Larry Irlbeck+ Arcadia
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-Jeff Grote+ Breda
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-Marvin/Florence Snyder+ Templeton

**FRIDAY February 28**
Friday After Ash Wednesday
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-Wilbur Hinners+ Arcadia
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-Dale Snyder+ Breda
- 8:00 a.m. Mass+Lillian Potthoff+ Halbur
- 8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer Glidden

**SATURDAY Feb. 29**
Saturday of the First Week in Lent
- 5:00 p.m. Mass-Alvina Wendl+ Templeton
- 5:30 p.m. Mass-Lowell Daniel+ Glidden

**SUNDAY March 1**
**FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-Herb, Dolores & Ron Riesselman+ Halbur
- 8:00 a.m. Mass-Martin Berger+ Mount Carmel
- 10:00 a.m. Mass-St. John Guild Arcadia
- 10:00 a.m. Mass-Parishioners of CTKCC Breda

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**FROM THE PRIESTS: Wednesday is Ash Wednesday**, which means, of course, that we will begin the **Season of Lent**. These next few days give us some time to prepare ourselves for this sacred time. We can open ourselves to God’s loving grace, so that our Church’s Lenten observances and personal Lenten practices draw us ever more deeply into the mystery of the life-passion-death-resurrection or our Lord Jesus Christ. Let all of us (aged 18 and older) fast and abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday (unless there are health reasons that prevent this) so as to help us to be mindful of God’s creative goodness and more empathetic toward the poor who do not have sufficient nourishing food. May all of us 14 years and older abstain from meat on the Fridays of Lent in the same spirit of openness. May these and all our Lenten practices help us to grow in love of God, love of our neighbor and love of ourselves. — The Ash Wednesday’s Gospel, Mt 6:1-6, 16-18, instructs us about the proper attitude for three wonder practices for Lent—for our entire Christian lives: almsgiving, prayer and fasting. Am I generous with the material/financial means that the Lord has given me? Do I spend time listening and praying so as to have a deep, fruitful relationship with God, Father-Son-Holy Spirit? From what might I fast to help me love God and love neighbor more? Might I fast from electronic devices, TV, quick judgments, propaganda, places fora where human beings are disrespect-ed, vilified or dismissed? - May we all have a blessed Lent!
LENTEN JOURNALS: Dynamic Catholic has gifted a limited number of Lenten journals for parish use. Please feel free to take one for your personal or family use. An ideal—ask each family member to make an entry every day on how you are drawing yourself more deeply into the mystery of the life-passion-death-resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ.

DAILY REFLECTIONS for LENT - We Frs Tims have made available a limited number of Lenten reflection books for anyone looking to deepen your experience of this solemn season of prayer and penance. We encourage those interested to please take a book.

ON THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT (MARCH 1ST), you are invited to participate in the special collection to benefit the Church in Africa, Latin America, and Eastern Europe, and the bishops’ charity organization Catholic Relief Services. You can help build churches and schools, train and educate priests and laypeople, publish Catholic newspapers, sustain orphanages, evangelize and catechize children and adults, and provide scholarships to Catholic students. Make a difference in building up the Church in Central and Eastern Africa, Africa, and Latin America.

CARROLL COUNTY PARishes’ MEAL PLANS

Sunday, March 8: St. Bernard’s Parish Omelet Breakfast, Breda Legion Hall, 9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m. Serving omelets, fruit, donuts and drinks. $8.00/adult, $5.00/child (5-10), under 5, free.

Friday, March 20: St. John Parish Fish Fry, Arcadia Legion Hall, 5-7:30 p.m. Serving three kinds of fish, garlic mashed potatoes, macaroni & cheese, green beans, bun, 3 kinds of salads, homemade desserts. FISH MADE ON SITE BY Lidderdale Country Store Adults $10; Children (5-10) $6.50. CASH BAR AVAILABLE!!

Friday, March 28 & March 13: St. Joseph Parish Fish Fry, Dedham American Legion Hall, serving 5-8 p.m., Fish, Potatoes, Coleslaw, bun & dessert. Adults/$10.00, 6-12 years/$5.00, 5 & under free.

Friday, March 28 & March 20: Manning/Manilla KC’s Fish Fry, Manning Hall, 5-7:30 p.m. Serving fish, baby red potatoes, cole slaw, vegetable, grilled cheese sandwiches & homemade ice cream. Adults $10, Child $5.

The Carroll Area Knights of Columbus will hold TWO fish fry meals. They will serve fried Pollock, baby red potatoes, coleslaw, bread, dessert, coffee, water or lemonade (grilled cheese sandwiches will be available) from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. Adults $10.00; children 6-10 years of age $6; children 5 and under are free. Carry Out’s Available. Dates and locations are: March 6 @ Holy Spirit — 421 E Bluff St, Carroll, IA and April 3 @ St. Lawrence — 1607 N. West St., Carroll, IA

SOME KUEMPER NOTES:

Mon., Feb. 24: Fit Knight at the Fieldhouse for 4th – 8th grades – All Day; Jive and Dine with the Kueumper Music Program in the Kueumper High gym at 7:00 pm; Lidderdale will cater pork loin at jus. Tickets are $20 or a table of 6 for $100. Tickets on sale Feb. 10-21 in KHS Main Office. All proceeds to help purchase a music trailer.

Tues., Feb. 25: Fit Knight at the Fieldhouse for PS – 3rd grades – All Day.

Wed., Feb. 26: 8:20am, Grades 4-6 Ash Wednesday Liturgy at St. Lawrence Church OR Grades K-3 & 7-12 Ash Wednesday Liturgy at Holy Spirit Church; 7:00pm, Booster Club Meeting

Thur., Feb. 27: 5:00 pm, Catholic Identity Meeting; 6:30pm, Theology on Tap at Carroll Country Club (see below for more info).

Fri., Feb. 28: Kueumper Shirt Day; 2:30pm, Fit Knight Assembly at Kueumper High School Gym

Sat., Feb. 29: 7:00pm, Dueling Pianos Fundraiser for Kueumper Ball at Templeton Center.

Job Openings at Kueumper:

Full-time custodial position w/benefits. Also part-time opening. Apply at any Kueumper office or on-line at www.kueumper.org or call John Steffes, 792-3313.

Kueumper Cares job opening – afternoons, part-time, 1:00–5:30 p.m. Must be 18 yrs old w/high school diploma. Fun, nurturing atmosphere – contact Kueumper or cmgoetzinger@kkuemper.org.

ST. ROSE OF LIMA #6 CDA will meet on Thursday, March 5 at Holy Spirit Church. Stations of the Cross at 5:05 p.m. and Mass at 5:30 p.m. Dinner/meeting to follow. For reservations call Bev Vonnahme at 712-689-2211 by Monday, March 2nd.

THEOLOGY ON TAP, Thursday, February 27, at The Carroll Country Club. Sister Anne Marie Walsh, SOLT, will be speaking on "Traditional Lenten Practices and the Healing of Relationships". Social at 6:30, presentation at 7:00.

MAGNIFICAT EVENT on Saturday, March 14, Resurrection of Our Lord Catholic Church, Pocahontas. Guest speaker is Connie Rossini. Admission is $15/per person and is due March 7. RSVP by calling Michele Leiting (663-4584) and mailing check payment to her at 19546 Aspen Ave., Westside, IA 51467.

ST. BERNARD-BREDA

CONDOLENCES AND PRAYERS for the family and friends of Lois Grote AND for the family and friends of Kay Wernimont. — Saints of God, come to their aid! Come to meet them, angels of the Lord! Receive their souls and present them to God most high!

ST. BERNARD PARISH OMELET BREAKFAST, March 8. Work lists have been mailed out to parish members this past week. Please be attentive to when you are assigned to work and mark your calendars. We are looking forward to having another successful parish fundraiser and a good day of fellowship.

ST. BERNARD GUILD MEMBERS: Please remember to bring a bake sale item the day of the Omelet Breakfast on March 8th or bring the bake sale item to the Legion on Saturday, March 7th from 2:00-3:00 during our set up time.

CHOIR PRACTICE, Sunday, March 1, 9:15 a.m. at school.

SAVE THE DATE - An All School Reunion will be held on Friday, July 3rd at St. Bernard School in Breda. Anyone who attended school in Breda is invited to attend and enjoy the celebration. More details to come.

THE NURSING HOME BIRTHDAY COMMITTEE has scheduled a birthday party for Gladys Nieland on Monday, Feb. 24, 2 p.m., Garden View. If anyone needs a ride, please call Arlene Mueggenberg at 673-2649. We welcome any area residents to join us.

Stewardship for February 9 & 16

Adult $3,095.00; Youth $10.00; Loose $122.00; Omelet Breakfast $120.00; Bria Cliff $100.00

MINISTERS-March 1

RL: Leonard/Jean Grote
G: Gene Nieland, Don Rowe (M), Volunteers (S)
S: Hayden & Preston Vonnahme, Evan Wernimont
R: Arlene Mueggenberg
U: Jasen Tiefenthaler, Chris Koster, Mike Koster
GB: Leonard/Jean Grote
EM: Chuck/Mary Thatcher, Jean Grote, Leonard Grote (HB)
$ Counters: Connie Weber, Dale/Arlene Mueggenberg
**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST-ARCADIA**

WELCOME INTO THE CHURCH, Archer Lee Liechti (baptized last Sunday, Feb. 16). Congratulations, Kevin and Kenzie, proud parents and siblings, Kreighton, Tegan, and Wick! Many blessings on your family!

SILENT AUCTION ITEMS ARE NEEDED for our Parish Fish Fry on March 20. Please call Bev Vonnahme (689-2211) or Michelle Schuette (689-2392).

ARCADIA COMMUNITY CLUB FAMILY CARNIVAL, TODAY, Sunday, Feb. 23, 11 a.m.-3 p.m., Arcadia Legion. Carnival games with prizes, face painting, a clown entertaining & much more. Lunch available for purchase with tickets.

**Stewardship for February 16**

Adult $1,690.00; Youth $3.00; Loose $41.00; Briar Cliff $100.00

MINISTERS-March 1

RL:  Jerome/Norma Henkenius
U/G/GB:  Vic/Shirley Tomka
S:  Brianna, Brett & Blake Lux
R:  Peg Scheidt
EM:  Sheila Dentlinger (HB), Jerome Henkenius, Joleen Mooney

$ Counters: Stephanie Hansen, Pat Vogl

**OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL-MOUNT CARMEL**

WELCOME INTO THE CHURCH, Daxton Joseph Tiefenthaler (baptized last Sunday, Feb. 16). Congratulations, Travis and Lia, proud parents! Many blessings on your family!

**Stewardship for February 9 & 16**

Adult $1,120.00; Youth $34.00; Loose $193.00; Pancake Breakfast $200.00

MINISTERS-March 1

RL:  Wayne/Angie Tiggins
S:  Isaac Evans, Owen Nepple, Kaylyn Wiederin
R:  Youth, David Wittry
U:  Youth
GB:  Youth
EM:  Brian Hoffman, Ken Nees, Julie Rhohe

$ Counters: Wayne/Angie Tiggins, Brian/Joan Hoffman

**ST. AUGUSTINE-HALBUR**

Holy Angels MWS

HOLY ANGELS WORSHIP SITE POT OF GOLD GIVEAWAY: $3,250 will be given away with of grand prize of $1,000 on Saturday, March 21. $20/ticket or book of 6 for $100. Contact Russ (790-6110) or Tom (830-8592).

NO ROSARY on Ash Wednesday, at Holy Angels in Roselle.

CHURCH CLEANERS NEEDED: Looking for students who would need service hours or anyone who would be willing to be put on a list to clean the church. This would be for the people who are designated to clean that week and would be willing to pay someone else to do so. $30.00 is suggested. If interested please call Joyce Wittrock 712-830-4978.

THE NEW CIRCLE SHEETS are in the back of Church.

PLEASE JOIN THE CHOIR FOR LENT! The St. Augustine Choir will sing on Sunday, March 1 with a short practice after. All voices welcome!

HALBUR U SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS are available for the Halbur community seniors who have volunteered their time for the advancement and betterment of Halbur. Applications are available by contacting Lois Dentlinger (658-2181) and need to be returned by March 15th.

**Stewardship for February 16**

Adult $3,688.00; Loose $28.00

MINISTERS-March 1

S:  Hannah & Kirsten Mescher
R:  Linda Halbur
U:  Loren Bruch, Carter Bruch
GB:  Rick/Jane Dopplehe Family
EM:  Vern/Becky Behrens, Lois Dentlinger
Church Cleaners:  John/Julie Hausman, Cory/Jill Hedman

**SACRED HEART-TEMPLETON**

WELCOME INTO THE CHURCH:

Zoe Kristine Kopaska (baptized Saturday, Feb. 8). Congratulations, Kelly and Kayla, proud parents! Many blessings on your family!

Hallee Ann Halbur (baptized Saturday, Feb. 15). Congratulations, Jeffrey (“JR”) and Kristen, proud parents! Many blessings on your family!

TEMPLETON SENIOR CITIZENS will meet February 27th, 11 a.m., Corner Station.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will hold a meeting on Thursday, March 12 @ 7:00 pm at the Templeton Center.

**Stewardship for February 16**

Adult $195.00; Loose $331.00

MINISTERS-February 29

S:  Dylan & Carter Wieland
R:  Holly Warner
U:  Jeff Nichols, Craig Nielsen
GB:  Marc/Denise Weitl Family
EM:  Joe/Donna Kemper, Mary Rieselman
Church Cleaners:  Jodie Bueltel, Gin Croghan

**ST. ELIZABETH SETON-GLIDDEN**

Please join us Frs. Tims in thanking Den Gary Schon and Gerald Mathine for their many years of faithful service as directors of St. Elizabeth Seton Parish. Join us, too, in thanking Lori Danner and Kevin Schon who have generously agreed to be our new lay directors. Congratulations Kevin & Lori, for Bishop R. Walker Nickless has approved your appointments as lay directors!

There are 100 metal folding chairs and 1 older Frigidaire Range available to Parishioners for a free will donation. Please contact Kimberly Whitaker at 712-830-6931 for info or to claim. These items are also posted on our Facebook page.

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MINISTERS-February 29

G:  Joe/Jami Subbert Family
S:  Summer & Ayla Toms
R:  Dave McNamara
U:  Mark Tigges
EM:  Carol Tigges, Annie Johnston, 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 being offered for parents who are having a child baptized for the first time in one of the parishes of CTKCC. The class will be offered at 6:30 p.m. the third Thursday of odd numbered months (Jan., March, May, July, Sept., Nov.) at Holy Spirit in Carroll. PLEASE email one of the Frs. Tims to let them know when you will be attending.

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 [under the ABOUT drop-down menu] and completing the form.

BULLEITIN ADS FOR SALE—yes, you may advertise your business or event here. Cost of each ad is $3 per week or $150/year. Space is limited. Ads must meet the Catholic Church standards. Contact the office in Breda for more information and/or to set up and schedule your ad.

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.

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