

July 2, 2017



St. Thomas Aquinas Pastorate

The mission of the St. Thomas Aquinas Pastorate is to use our love and faith to inspire and serve God's people by cultivating a welcoming Catholic Community – working as one and living as disciples of Jesus Christ.

Pastoral Directory

Pastor, Rev. Douglas Loecke (563)852-7805

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Jean Conrad (563)852-3524, (563)852-3945

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Director of Faith Formation -

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Pastorate Office

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Hours Monday – Thursday: 8:30am-4:30pm

Friday: 8:30am – 1:00pm

Pastorate Support Staff

Business Manager, Kerri Takes

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Aquin System of Catholic Education

Aquin Catholic Elementary School (563)852-3331

Principal, Vicki Palmer

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Aquin Little Angels Early Childhood Ctr 563-852-7020

Director, Jenny Recker

New Parishioners

Welcome! Contact the pastorate office 563-852-3524

Baptisms

Baptism class required. Next class–Sept 11, 2017, 7pm

Contact Ray & Carol Noonan at 852-3181 to register for the class.

Contact the pastorate office to schedule a baptism.

Weddings

Contact Fr. Loecke at least six months prior to the wedding date.

Pastorate Council

Janet Felton, Bob Green,
Chris Krapfl, Loren Manternach,
Joyce McQuillen, Chuck Noonan,
Ed Stoll, Jean Their

Parish Council Contacts

St. Patrick – Vicki Noonan
Sacred Heart – Chuck Noonan
St. Peter – Chris Krapfl
St. Matthias – Bob Green

Pastorate Committee Chairpersons

Community Life –
Faith Formation – Dan Kurt
Social Justice – Chris Krapfl
Liturgy – Kathy Beck

Prayer Requests

Eileen Steffen – 852-7168
Anita Gudenkauf – 852-3043
Shirley Curoe - 563-599-3973
Joyce Gibbs – 879-3271
Arlene Henneberry – 852-7793

Liturgy Schedule

(Cascade-C; Fillmore-F; Garryowen-G; Temple Hill-T
W/C-Word & Communion Service)

Mon, July 3	7:00am (C) W/C
Tue, July 4	7:00am (C) W/C
Wed, July 5	5:30pm (C) Living & Deceased Members of Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court 1926
Thu, July 6	7:00am (C) Dan Federspiel
Fri, July 7	7:00am (C) Vince & Edith McLees, Leo & Helen Miller
Sat, July 8	1:30pm (C) Nuptial Mass for Hillary Sadler & Brad Leibold 4:00pm (F) St Thomas Aquinas Pastorate
Sun, July 9	5:30pm (C) Jim Brockamp 8:00am (C) Doris Putz 10:00am (C) Kraig Gavin

Confessions

Confessions are available 20 minutes before the 4:00 Mass
and immediately following the 5:30 Mass.

Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time – July 2, 2017

Pastorate

Don't forget about the Planned Giving Seminar, "Opportunities for Stewardship" on Thursday, July 6th at the Knights of Columbus Hall at 6:00pm. All are welcome.

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas Cascade Court 1926 are hosting a bus trip to the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Lacrosse, Wisconsin Tuesday July 11, 2017. There are a limited number of seats still available. The cost is approx. \$25.00. For more information or to sign up please call Jean Conrad 563-852-3945.

Caring for Your Marriage –

"Whoever does not take up his cross and follow me is not worthy of me." (Mt 10:38) Jesus reminds us that we cannot always be takers; we must be givers as well as receivers. In giving to each other we learn to receive from God. Be aware today of the rewards you receive through every act of self-giving.

Coming this fall: That Man is You! A men's group that will meet weekly on Saturday mornings. Stayed tuned to the bulletin for additional details....

Are you searching for a deeper relationship with God and questioning where God is calling you to serve? Do you desire spiritual and personal transformation? St Thomas Aquinas Pastorate is once again offering "My Walk With God" a journey of discovery process developed to help you address these questions and more. "My Walk With God" will meet once a month September through May. For more information, please contact Kerri Takes at [563-852-3559](tel:563-852-3559) or takes4@netins.net by August 11.

Meetings:

St. Matthias Finance Meeting: July 11th, 7pm at Past. Office

The Aquin Education System

Aquin will be having a Back-to-School Scrip promotion from
July 10-August 11

For every \$100 of scrip you purchase, your name will go in a drawing for a chance to win \$250 scrip certificate.

Drawing will be held on August 14th.

Aquin Pies Reminder: Save and freeze your rhubarb and apples over the summer for Aquin pie making. Any questions call Kim Lynch at 852-5285.

Sacred Heart, Fillmore

Sacrificial Offering: June 24-25, 2017–Budget/Total: \$375.00;

Liturgical Participation: (July 8, 2017 – 4:00pm)

Lector: Marty Mausser; *Commentator*: Ruth Rea;

Eucharistic Min.: Ann Callahan, Linda Recker; *Servers*:

Jake Wagner & Nick Wagner; *Crossbearer*: Corinne Rea

Church Cleaning (July 8, 2017): Pat & Carol Gehl, Dennis &

Vicki Helmle, Mary Wright, Joel & Ashley Meyer

Hall Cleaning (July 8, 2017): Mike & Bridget Rea, Marty &

Krista Kalb, Kevin & Deb Rea, Dixie Schuster

St. Patrick, Garryowen

St. Patrick Sacrificial Offering: June 24-25, 2017 –

Budget: \$3,664.00; Offertory: \$111.21; Easter: \$35.00;

memorial: \$50.00; Hall Rent: \$100.00; \$3,960.21

Liturgical Participation - (Saturday, July 22, 2017 – 4:00pm)

Commentator: Mike Redmond; *Lector*: Denny Brackemyer;

Eucharistic Ministers: Deb Redmond, Sr. Marlene McDonnell,

Janet Felton; *Ushers*: Bob Noonan, Steve Gravel;

Acolytes: Mae Felton, Hugh Molony; *Cross*: Alyssa Koppes

Rosary before Mass: July 22, 2017 – Rosie Noonan

Church Cleaning (July 2017): Wanda Loewen, Dean & Kris Pfab,

Adam & Tracy Rollinger

St. Peter, Temple Hill

Sacrificial Offering: June 24-25, 2017 – Adult Budget: \$332.00

Youth Budget: \$2.00; Total: \$334.00

Liturgical Participation: (July 15, 2017 - 4:00 PM)

Lector: Kay Manternach *Commentator*: Linda

Schockemoehl

Eucharistic Min.: Karen Knepper, Lucinda Turnis, LuAnn

Manternach; *Ushers*: Jared Trumm, Paul Koppes *Servers*:

Michael, John, & Maggie Trumm; *Gifts*: Kevin

Schockemoehl; *Greeter*: Matt Manternach

Church Cleaners (before July 15, 2017): Denise & Jim

Welter (leader), Dan & Les Welter, Scot & Karen

Knepper, Dennis & Julie Orris, Karen Supple

Our next regular Mass will be Saturday, July 15th at 4:00 PM with a potluck social following Mass in the hall.

Eucharistic Adoration - Wednesday, June 21 at 7:00 PM

Rosary - Wednesday, June 28 at 7:00 PM

What beautiful weather for our 45th Annual St. Peter's Pork

Barbecue! The crowd seemed to love it! We served 857 adult meals & 59 children's meals. Winners of the special deck

game were John McDermott, Jay Decker, Jeff Otting, & Ed

Stoll. Bovine Bingo winners were \$90 - Lester Manternach,

\$180 - Joe Strang, \$ 360 - Janice Trumm. Thanks to

all who helped to make this a successful event especially to

our picnic chairpersons this year, Karen Knepper & Jake

Welter.

St. Matthias, Cascade

Sacrificial Offering: June 24-25, 2017 – Budget: \$10,450.00;

Offertory: \$451.36; Community Life: \$60.00; Total:

\$10,961.36

Liturgical Participation: (*weekdays*: July 3-7) - *Server*: Chuck

Casey; *Lector*: Jean Simon; *Eucharistic Ministers*: Chuck

Casey, Jean Simon, Jane Strang

Saturday –July 8, 5:30pm– *Lector*: Tom Gleason;

Commentator: Ava Morreim; *Ushers* – Jake & Tara Noonan;

Eucharistic Ministers: Shannon Rogers, Susie Steffen, Kay

Takes, Kerri Takes, Linda Aschtgen; *Servers*: Reid Rausch,

Sydney Reiter, Madelyn Reiter; *Music*: Becky

Sunday – July 9, 8:00am – *Lector* –Kylie Knepper;

Commentator: Jonathan Fransen; *Ushers* – Matt Nauman,

Quentin Recker; *Eucharistic Ministers*: Jerry McAllister, Karen

McAllister, Colette McDermott, Monica McDermott, Rebecca

McDermott; *Servers* – Anna McDermott, Corrine Rea, Nate

Manternach; *Music*: Becky

Sunday – July 9, 10:00am - *Lector* – Gina Hill Hemmer;

Commentator: Debbie Wessels; *Ushers* – Steve Sauser, Carter

Simon; *Eucharistic Ministers*: Joyce McMullen, Sue Trumm,

Madeline Rhomberg, Shannon Rogers, Debbie Wessels;

Servers: Cody Kremer, Zach Kurt, Kirstin Kremer; *Music*:

Becky

Area Events:

Sts Mary & Joseph at Sugar Creek – Lawn Social

On Sun, July 9th. Beef & Pork Dinner Serving 3:00-7:30pm
Calling All KC Golfers - Get your golf teams ready! The Brothers of KC Council #11942 in Cedar Rapids are hosting the 2017 Iowa Knights of Columbus State Golf Tournament on Saturday, July 15. The 4-man best shot will be held at Jones Golf Course in Cedar Rapids with a shotgun start at noon. The registration form can be downloaded at www.kofc11942.org/. If you have any questions or would like to be put on a team, contact Rick Zettler at 319-551-9361

Sts. Peter & Paul Church – Spring Brook – Chicken Barbecue

Sunday, July 16, 2017, Mass at 10:15am with Country Gospel Singers. Serving from 11:00am – 6:00pm, Auction at 1:00pm
Divine Word College Seminary is hosting its Third Annual Benefit Golf Outing Friday, July 21. Proceeds from our golf outing will go to our scholarship funds to assist our students as they prepare for life as missionaries for the Catholic Church worldwide.

July Events at River Bend Free and Open to the Public

Bible Study Every Wednesday, 9:30 am

Sit & Be Fit - With Above & Beyond

Every Wednesday, 10:15 am

Music and Prayer

Hosted by Presbyterian Church, Saturday, July 8th, 1:45 pm

Music with Darlene Meyer

Monday, July 10th, 2 pm

55 and Older Complimentary Supper

Wednesday, July 12th, 5-6 pm

Strong Catholic Families

Strong Catholic Families The Archdiocese of Dubuque is partnering with pastors, parishes and school leaders to engage parents in the life and mission of the family, the domestic church. This process of evangelization, titled Strong Catholic Families: Strong Catholic Youth, engages families as they grow in faith. Through reflection, evaluation and implementation of strategies, participants become part of an ongoing movement to empower and support family faith growth. To learn more about Strong Catholic Families: Strong Catholic Youth, check out the Archdiocese of Dubuque website:

<https://www.dbqarch.org/offices/family-life/strongcatholicfamilies/>



Independence Day Prayer

Dear Lord,

There is no greater feeling of liberty than to experience freedom from [sin](#) and death that you provided for me through [Jesus Christ](#). Today my heart and my soul are free to praise you. For this, I am very thankful.

On this Independence Day, I am reminded of all those who have sacrificed for my freedom, following the example of your Son, Jesus Christ.

Let me not take my freedom, both physical and spiritual, for granted. May I always remember that a very high price was paid for my freedom. My freedom cost others their very lives.

Lord, today, bless those who have served and continue to give their lives for my freedom. With favor and bounty, meet their needs and watch over their families.

In your name I pray. Amen



Can & Bottle Collection!

Fundraiser for NCCY

Look for the trailer in the Aquin parking lot

From July 1-3

CA HOLIC

1. What is the "Papal Encyclical?"
 - A. Papal newspaper
 - B. Papal tour
 - C. Papal schedule
 - D. Papal letter
2. Who was the married couple that were friends and companions with St. Paul?
 - A. Magdalene & Joseph of Arimathea
 - B. Aguila & Priscilla
 - C. Aguilinus & Victoria
 - D. Mary & Cleopas

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Answers 1. D, 2. B