



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

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 Principal, Vicki Palmer
 E-mail vpalmer@aquin.org
 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 Thier

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, Aug 14	7:00pm (F) Elaine Johnson
Tue, Aug 15	7:00am (C) Deceased members of the Joe & Anna Otting Family
	6:00pm (C) Charles Allen
Wed, Aug 16	7:00am (C) Jim Hosch
Thu, Aug 17	7:00am (C) Ray & Mag Kurt
Fri, Aug 18	7:00am (C) Jim Dunigan
Sat, Aug 19	1:30pm (C) Nuptial Mass for Adam Manternach & Michelle Heinz
	4:00pm (TH) Jane Stanton
	5:30pm (C) George Gleason
Sun, Aug 20	8:00am (C) Ed, Millie & Kathy Hosch
	10:00am(C)St Thomas Aquinas Pastorate

Confessions

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

Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time – August 13, 2017

Pastorate

Thank you everyone, who attended, helped organize or donated to the Pastorate Park Party. It was a wonderful evening shared in fun, food, & fellowship. A special thank you to the following (we hope that we didn't leave anyone out):

Jay & Marlene Decker: Cheese for hamburgers

Matt & Tammy Nauman: Chips

Joel & Cheryl Wood: Lemonade and water

Calvin Rea: Pioneer Paper Plates

Fidelity Bank: Napkins

Ohnward Bank: Cups

And of course we want to thank the musicians:

Alyce & Vince Dolphin, Darlene Meyer

Chris Casey, Loren Manternach, Aaron Manternach, Becky

Williams & Don Schiffer

Also a thank you to Joe and Karen Meier and Joyce Donovan of Brothers Market for their time and talents in preparing and serving the food!

The Sisters of Charity of Nazareth (SCNs) will be here next weekend to share SCN Family stories with the St. Matthias Parish Community.

Sister Barbara Lammers, SCN will speak at all the Masses next weekend on behalf of the SCN ministries which began in the United States in 1812, expanding to India in 1947, Belize in 1975, Nepal in 1979 and Botswana in 2000.

The Sisters of Charity of Nazareth founded in Nelson County Kentucky in 1812, through their ministries of healthcare, education and social service carry the message of Christ's love for those in need throughout the world. Learn more about the ministries of our Congregation at scnfamily.org.

They will speak to us about the works of the Sisters and invite us to be part of the SCN Family by participating through our prayers and financial assistance. A special collection will be taken up to support the Sisters in their ministry to the victimized, oppressed and marginalized internationally. We know that, as always, you will be as generous as you can.

Where There's a Will, There's a Way – Have you ever considered leaving your parish a gift as part of your will planning? Please consider this idea as a way of supporting the parish long after you are gone. This isn't just for the wealthy, but for all. If you would like more information about leaving a legacy gift, contact the Pastorate Office at 852-3524. If you would like information about estate planning or giving to other Catholic programs please visit <http://www.ourcatholicfoundation.org>, <http://www.catholiccharitiesdubuque.org>, or contact your attorney or financial professional

Looking for persons/couples that would like to welcome and assist folks, using St. Matthias east, handicap entrance when coming to Mass. We would schedule these usher/greeters one time per month at the Mass you prefer to attend. If interested in this "Ministry of Welcoming" please call the pastorate office at 563-852-3524 or Jean Conrad at 563-852-3945.

Would you or someone you know like to become Catholic? Or maybe you are already Catholic & would like to learn more about your faith. Instructional classes will be offered on

Wed. evenings from 6:30-8:00pm beginning this fall. The classes are very informal with lots of time for discussion. If interested or know of someone who might be, please contact the Pastorate office at 852-3524 or Deacon Joe Schockemoehl at 852-3126.

Caring for Your Marriage –

"Just as Elijah recognized the Lord in a "tiny whispering sound." (1 Kings 19:13), so we must attune ourselves to the sometimes subtle signals our spouse gives in distress, warmth, concern. Learn to read between the lines.

Attention Married Couples: "God reveals Himself through the Love of a couple" **Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend.** Upcoming Dates; October 27-29 @Cedar Falls. November 10-12 @Iowa City For information and to register go to iowa-wwme.org or call [563-608-3305](tel:563-608-3305) or email: JLJwwme08@Gmail.com

The Aquin Education System

1st-8th grade Open House: Come join us for our annual Open

House on Monday, August 21 from 6:00-8:00pm. Students can meet their classroom teachers and say hi to returning and new friends. The Early childhood students will have already had their Open House.

Reminder – CCD / RTR Registration: This is a reminder to families whose children attend public schools – You can now register for CCD or RTR for the 2017/2018 school year. Contact Nicole Casey if you would like a covenant emailed or if you have any questions at dbq023ff@dbqarch.org or 852-3601. Registration covenants will also be available in the back of St. Matthias.

Sacred Heart, Fillmore

Sacrificial Offering: Aug. 5-6, 2017–Budget/Total: \$360.00

Liturgical Participation: (September 9, 2017 – 4:00pm)

Lector: Ruth Rea; *Commentator:* Betty Wagner;

Eucharistic Min.: Carol Gehl, Kathy Staner; *Servers:*

Megan Bergfeld, Corinne Rea; *Crossbearer:* Jacob Stoll

Church Cleaning (September 9, 2017): Tom & Becky Recker, Tom & Jennifer Hunt, James & Robert Devine, Scott & Ashley Tumey

Hall Cleaning (September 9, 2017): John & Sue Krogman, Randy & Jody Knapp, Dave & Sherry Menke, Pam Lynch

St. Patrick, Garryowen

St. Patrick Sacrificial Offering: Aug. 5-6, 2017 – Budget:

\$2,143.00; Offertory: \$217.75; Memorial Fund: 50.00; Total: \$2,410.75

Liturgical Participation - (Saturday, August 26, 2017 – 4:00pm)

Commentator: Sr. Marlene McDonnell; *Lector:* Margie Gassman;

Eucharistic Ministers: Deb Redmond, Rita Martin, Diane Vaske;

Ushers: Mark Redmond, Chuck Shanahan; *Acolytes:* Matt Pfab, Libby Felton; *Cross:* Laura Rollinger

Weekend Money Counters: Aug. 26, 2017 – Janet & Cathy

Rosary before Mass: Aug. 26, 2017 – Mary Jane Kurt

Church Cleaning (August 2017): Mark & Monica Redmond, Mike & Deb Redmond, Lois Gavin

St. Peter, Temple Hill

Sacrificial Offering: Aug. 5-6 – Adult Budget/Total: \$446.00

Liturgical Participation: (August 19, 2017 - 4:00 PM)
Lector: Matt Manternach; *Commentator:* Mark Trumm
Eucharistic Min.: Kevin Schockemoehl, Becky Trumm,
Sue Trumm; *Ushers:* Brett Schoenherr, Joe Trumm;
Servers: Nathan Schockemoehl, Bayne Manternach,
Eldon Kurt; *Gifts:* Scot Knepper; *Greeter:* LuAnn Manternach;
Church Cleaners (before August 19, 2017): Lois & Dale
Andrews (leader), Tom & Evelyn Stoll, Robert & Linda Stoll,
Doug & Amanda Stoll, Travis & Katie Andrews, Liz & Al
Takes, Jake & Kara Takes, Jason & Amanda Feldman
The next regular Mass at St. Peter's will be Sat, August 19th
with a potluck social following Mass in the hall.
Eucharistic Adoration - Wednesday, August 16 at 7:00 PM
Rosary - Wednesday, August 23 at 7:00 PM
St. Peter Parish Blood Drive will be Tuesday, August 22
from 4-8 PM at the parish hall. Sign-up sheets for donors
and volunteers are in the entry of the church or by calling Julie.
On-line sign up is also available. Please consider giving
the gift of life.

St. Matthias, Cascade

Sacrificial Offering: Aug. 5-6, 2017 – Budget: \$6,185.00;
Offertory: \$586.52; Children's Collection: \$49.50; Holy Days:
\$35.00; Total: \$6,856.02

Liturgical Participation: (*weekdays: Aug 14-18, 2017*) - *Server:*
Blair Gleason; *Lector:* Phyllis Green; *Eucharistic Ministers:*
Blair Gleason, Phyllis Green, Linda Takes Davis

Saturday – Aug 19, 5:30pm – *Lector:* Barb Otting;
Commentator: Mark Otting; *Ushers* – Jake & Tara Noonan;
Eucharistic Ministers: Tracy Ostwinkle, Mark Otting, Barb
Otting, Dianne Reiter, Jeff Reiter; *Servers:* Brianna Koppes,
Alyssa Koppes, Eva Madsen; Music: Angie's

Sunday – Aug 20, 8:00am – *Lector* – Cade Wessels;
Commentator: Nikki Manternach; *Ushers* – Fred Rogers, Brett
Schoenherr; *Eucharistic Ministers:* Matt Knepper, Jessi Koob,
Dianne Koppes, Lori Loes, Nikki Manternach; *Servers* – Vic
Kauder, Levi Lynch, Elijah Merfeld; Music: Becky

Sunday – Aug 20, 10:00am - *Lector* – Jason McDermott;
Commentator: Maddie Weber; *Ushers* – Steve Sauser, Carter
Simon; *Eucharistic Ministers:* Ava Morreim, Jason
McDermott, Joyce McMullen, Lisa Merritt, Rachel Merritt;
Servers: Madeline Rhomberg, Allison Rolinger, Laura
Rollinger; Music: Piano Choir (Becky)

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

St. Matthias Fun Fest and Auction September 10, 2017,
at the American Legion Park Cascade.

Parishioners will be receiving a letter soon with more
information. Please note: Workers have been assigned, so
please review the work schedule.

There will not be a sign-up sheet this year.

Come out and support this major fundraiser for our Parish!

The St. Matthias Core Committee is looking for a Co-Chair:
for the Fun Fest. Please contact Amanda Trumm at 852-5284.

Calling all bakers!!! Bake sale items are needed for the St.
Matthias Parish Auction & Funfest on September 10th. Pies,
cookies, cupcakes, breads, snack items, canned and fresh
garden produce are always in demand. Items can be
delivered to the Fun Fest after 9:00 on the day of the event.
Please contact Jill at 563.590.7192 if you would like your
donation picked up.

Starting Saturday, September 9, 2017: **That Man Is You (TMIY)**, a Catholic Men's program that will run from 6:30am to 8:00am on Saturday mornings which includes a hot breakfast, video presentation, and small group discussion. Look for bulletin insert in coming weeks for more information or go to www.thatmanisyou.org

Psalms: The School of Prayer to be offered at Resurrection Parish. At the heart of the Bible are the Psalms, prayers from God that help us learn to pray. The Holy Spirit inspired them. Israel sang them. Christ himself prayed them, as did our Blessed Mother. These sacred hymns become our heartfelt response to God's loving and wondrous deeds for us. Their words captivate the imagination and draw us into a deeply personal encounter with God. *Psalms: The School of Prayer* will show you how to establish a deeply personal dialogue with God through the Psalms. All are welcome to study *Psalms: The School of Prayer* on Tuesday mornings at Resurrection Parish from 8:30-10:30am, September 12- November 21. For more information or to register for the study, go to the Resurrection parish website at www.res-dbc.org or contact Lugene at DBQ058YM@dbqarch.org or 556-7511.

Strong Catholic Marriage Workshop – Sat, Oct. 14, 2017
Registration is now open for “*Essential Elements for a Strong Catholic Marriage*,” a workshop for couples interested in improving communication, experiencing healing and forgiveness, exploring the role of service and prayer, and cherishing the marriage intended by God. The workshop will take place at St. Gabriel, Reinbeck on Saturday, October 14, 2017 from 9 AM to 4 PM. The cost for the day is \$75 per couple, including lunch. For more information, to download the flyer, and to register online for this event, go to: <https://www.dbqarch.org/marriage-event>, or contact Matt Selby, Director of Family Life for the Archdiocese of Dubuque, at (563) 556-2580, Ext. 233 or m.selby@dbqarch.org.

ST. PAUL PARISH FESTIVAL, Worthington Sunday, August 20th ~ Serving 11:00 am to 3:00 pm deep fried chicken by Far Fry, grilled chicken breasts, whipped potatoes, gravy, corn, coleslaw, homemade bread, assortment of homemade cakes, pies, bars & cookies, milk and coffee. Adults \$11, Children 5-10: \$6, Under 5 free. Lunch stand and games 12:45 – 5:00 pm.

CA HOLIC

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1. What are the two Sacraments of Service?

- A. Matrimony & Baptism
- B. Holy Orders & Anointing of the Sick
- C. Confirmation & Matrimony
- D. Matrimony & Holy Orders

2. Which two Sacraments are administered by bishops rather than priests?

- A. Holy Orders & Confirmation
- B. Confirmation & Baptism
- C. Anointing of the Sick & Holy Orders
- D. Holy Orders & Baptism

Answers 1. D, 2. A