

**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 19, 2020
Masses ~ St. Lawrence Church**

MONDAY, JANUARY 20

NO MASS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21

7:00am Chris Smith

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22

7:00am Linda Schmitz,
Lawrence & Darlene Steffes Family

8:20am Betty Halbur

10:30am Accura Health Center Abe & Ceal Nagl Family

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23

12noon Dan Mielk and Family, Don Brincks

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24

10:30am Swan Place Urban Polking

12noon Raymond & Florita Sibbel

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25

4:00pm Phil Hamblen, Tony & Anna Vogel

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26

8:30am For the People of the Parish

10:30am Leonard Pudenz, Timothy Deierling,
Diana Killeen

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:
1/2 hour before the weekend Masses or By
Appointment

Would you like to receive the bulletin each week by email? If so, please contact the parish office and we will add you to a list of people who will receive the bulletin by email each Friday. We are excited to be offering this new option for keeping connected with the parish!

THANK YOU to all of the volunteers who helped with the mailings within the past two weeks. Your help was greatly appreciated!



MINISTRY SCHEDULE ~ January 25th & 26th

MINISTERS OF THE ALTAR: Jan. 25: **4:00pm:**
Joseph McCartan, Vanessa Borelli, Volunteer Needed
Jan. 26: **8:30am:** Matt Hensel, Laura Hensel,
Patrick Hensel
10:30am: Carter Soppe, Esme Wood, Simon Wood

LECTORS: Jan.21-24: Phil Phillips
Jan. 25: **4:00pm:** Sue Ausman, Steve Cuddy
Jan. 26: **8:30am:** Jim Greteman, Cheryl Stork
10:30am Kris Boeckman, Joleen Schulz

EXTRAORDINARY EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:
Jan. 21-22: Phil & Michele Phillips
Jan. 23-24: Phil Phillips
Jan. 25: **4:00pm** Vicki Linde, Chris & Amy Loew,
Joel Pawletzki, Connie Sapp, David & Becky Snyder
Jan. 26: **8:30am** Jim Berning, Jim & Mary Greteman,
Earl & Stephena Kallemeyn, Carey Promes,
Kathy Stein
10:30am Jill Heiman, Jim Riesberg, Alex Schleisman,
Pat Soppe, Jim Stork, Carol Strautman, Lynn Wittrock

GIFT BEARERS:
Jan. 25: **4:00pm** Jeff & Jeri Schuler
Jan. 26: **8:30am** Todd & Melanie Steinkamp
10:30am: Brandon & Rachel Nepper

GREETERS: Jan. 25: **4:00pm** Joyce Best,
Lorraine Danner, Ed & Karen Heim
Jan. 26: **8:30am** Paul Baumhover, Bernie Menke,
Ann Phillips
10:30am Jeanette Brinkman, Luanne Kustra,
Clair Otto, Eileen Sander

SUNDAY COMMUNION MINISTERS:
3rd Sunday: Jim Riesberg & Kris Boeckman
4th Sunday: Leo & Joleen Kasparbauer

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:
Jan. 26: Kathi Milligan

SACRISTANS:
Jan.25: 4:00pm: Joel Pawletzki
Jan. 26: 8:30am: Behrens
10:30am: Phil Phillips

Masses ~ Holy Spirit Church

MONDAY, JANUARY 20

NO MASS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21

9:30am Regency Park Ann Lappe

12noon Ken Ebner Family

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22

8:20am Rudy Anthofer

12noon Leon & Dorothy Masching

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23

7:00am Joe Halbur

8:20am Marvin Kuker, Richard Kuker

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24

7:00am Mary Case

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25

4:30pm Lawrence & Mary Gute Family,
Donald Kramer

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26

7:30am Paul Testroet, M. Denker

9:30am Joyce Vonnahme

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REMINDER: With the start of a new year, it's a great time to pay your Ladies' Guild and Men's Club dues. All ladies and men of the parish are members of the organizations, respectively.

Tom Chapman, Executive Director of the Iowa Catholic Conference, will be at Corpus Christi Parish Center in Fort Dodge on Thursday, January 30 at 6:30pm to speak about the proposed Pro-Life Amendment for the Iowa Constitution.

COMING SOON: After approximately 20 years of service to the parish, it is time for us to "freshen up" the Greteman Center. Funding for this project is coming from an anonymous donor, and from other funds especially designated for projects at the Holy Spirit Church site. If you would like to contribute to this project, please put your payment in an envelope marked for the "Greteman Center Painting Project" and drop it in the collection or bring it by the parish office. Thanks for your help! We look forward to a fresh new look!

MINISTRY SCHEDULE ~ January 25th & 26th

MASS SERVERS: 4:30pm: Jared Craig, Julia Craig, Kaci O'Leary

7:30am: Olivia Tomka, Simon Pietig, Eva Tomka

9:30am: Heather Kraus, Jacob Haubrich, Heidi Kraus

GREETERS: 4:30pm: (SE) Pat & Julie Gray

(Main) Mike & Marlene Leonard, Deb Shriver

(NW) Pat Hill, Clarence Ziegmann

7:30am: (SE) Darrell & Kerry Henkenius

(Main) Clay & Diane Gubbels, Joyce Tigges

(NW) Glenn & Tamie Badding

9:30am: (SE) Scott & Cathy Tigges

(Main) Charlie & Karen Whalen

(NW) David & Mary Trent

USHERS: 4:30pm: Bob Fasbender, Tom Langel, John Jorgensen, Vern Meiners, Randy Schreck

7:30am: Louis Havermann, Dave Sander, Curt Scott, Bill Stork

9:30am: Alan Loew, Keith Pottebaum, Volunteers

GIFT BEARERS: 4:30pm: Dennis & Sharon Halder

7:30am: Don & Bev Nepple

9:30am: Doug & Sheri Wanninger

LECTORS: 4:30pm: Frank Comito

7:30am: Neil Goetzinger **9:30am:** Dr. Steve Kraus

COMMENTATORS: 4:30pm: Vernell Wittrock

7:30am: Lori Goetzinger **9:30am:** None Needed

SHUT-IN MINISTERS: Dave Bruner,

Joan Hannasch, Mary Lee Hill

EXTRAORDINARY COMMUNION MINISTERS:

4:30pm: Joyce Baumhover, Mike Berger, JoAnn Brincks, Barb Frost, Paula Kasperbauer, Tom Kollasch,

Christina Renze, Joan Shymanski, Maxine VonTersch

7:30am: Sr. Consesa, Sr. Eleonora, Tom Brincks,

Dave Bruner, Larry Greteman, Scott Hucka, Susie Scott, Denis Tigges

9:30am: Tommy Carrigan, Marty & Lisa Danzer,

Kim Handlos, Jill Kraus, Leon & Florence Oswald,

Ann Pottebaum, Jackie Reineke

ROSARY LEADERS: 4:30pm: Barb Frost

7:30am: Dan Stoolman **9:30am:** Alan Loew

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Jan. 26: Jill Kraus family

THIS WEEK IN ST. JOHN PAUL II PARISH:

- Mon** Legion of Mary, 7:30am, HS Family Room
- Mon** Guild Bingo at Stonebridge, 2:00pm
- Wed** Divine Mercy Chaplet after 7am Mass
- Wed** Guild Bingo at St. Anthony Nursing Home, 3pm
- Wed** SL Choir Practice, 7:00pm, SL Family Room
- Thurs** Healing Prayer Service, SL Family Room, after Noon Mass
- Fri** Men’s Spirituality, 6:00am, HS Family Room
- Fri** Bible Study, after 7am Mass, Greteman Center, led by Fr.Schott

COMING EVENTS:

- Jan. 20: Ladies for Our Lady Group, 7-8pm,** Domus Trinitatis lower level coffee shop
- Jan. 26: Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish Pancake Breakfast, 8:30am-12:30pm,** Parish hall

WELCOME RETREATS: The dates have been set for the next Welcome Retreats. The **Men’s Retreat** will be March 7 & 8, and the contact people are Clay Gubbels, 210-2313, & Ben Tillinghast, 515-971-6970. The **Women’s Retreat** is March 28 & 29, with the contact people being Diane Gubbels, 712-210-1166, and Amy McAlister, 712-292-1497.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS will meet on Thursday, February 6th, at the St. Anthony Nursing Home Chapel for the 9:30am Mass. Coffee and rolls will follow in the Court Yard Garden Room.

THANK YOU RECEIVED FROM THE BIRTH PLACE: Thank you for donating newborn gifts to mothers and their infants in the Birth Place at St. Anthony’s as part of your Advent Giving Trees. Your generosity is greatly appreciated and the gifts will benefit the families receiving their own new blessings this holiday season! (A few of the comments from the Birth Place nurses: “Thank you so much – you are the meaning of Christmas!”; “Thanks so much – these things will make someone’s Christmas”; and “Our new moms and babies will benefit greatly from your kindness and generosity”)

RSVP SINGERS: Are you 55 years and better? Do you enjoy singing? Would you like to brighten the day of individuals living in assisted living facilities or nursing homes? RSVP is looking for people who would be interested in joining the RSVP Sing-Along Group. The RSVP singers entertain each Thursday and two Mondays per month, February through December. Volunteers can choose how many times they wish to participate. For more information call 792-4212.

THANK YOU to the Bridge Marathon ladies who recently donated \$600 to our parish.

<u>STEWARDSHIP, 1-12-20</u>	<u>Income:</u>
313 out of 2086 Adult Envelopes	\$ 35,317.00
211 Auto Withdrawal Env.	26,384.00
Loose Collection	2,259.73
Miscellaneous Income	<u>5,398.53</u>
	\$ 69,359.26
\$ needed each week	<u>\$ 45,673.00</u>
Difference	+23,686.26

KUEMPER CATHOLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM:

- Mon/Jan 20:** Meistersinger Honor Choir Concert at Wartburg College in Waverly, 5pm
- Tues/Jan. 21:** Board of Education Meeting in KHS Library, 4pm
- Wed/Jan. 22:** Gr 4-6 Liturgy at St. Lawrence, 8:20am; Gr. 7-12 Liturgy at Holy Spirit, 8:20am; March for Life to Washington, DC; Booster Club meeting in KHS Library, 7pm; Diocesan Band Festival Gr. 7-2 at Buena Vista, 6:00pm
- Thurs/Jan. 23:** Gr. K-3 Liturgy at Holy Spirit Church, 8:20am; 6th Grade Strong Foundations Honor Band; Calendar Committee, 4:00pm
- Fri/Jan. 24:** Chamber Coffee in KHS Cafeteria to kick off Catholic Schools Week, 8:00am; Kuemper Shirt Day
- Sat/Jan. 25:** District Large Group Speech Contest at Fort Dodge **Discover Kuemper Preschool Knight, Tuesday, February 4 at 6:00pm in the High School Gym.** Discover Kuemper Preschool Night provides an opportunity for parents and future preschoolers to meet teachers, see classrooms, and be introduced to preschool curriculum. ALL are welcome and there is no commitment necessary at the time of the event. This is a great opportunity for all those discerning Kuemper for their child’s education! Kuemper collaborates with Carroll Community School District for this state funded program and its’ tuition free. Preschoolers must be 4 years old on or before September 15, 2020. Contact Susie Hulst with questions, smhulst@kuemper.org or 792-2213.

PARISH SURVEYS: This past October, the Finance Council sent out a letter to all parishioners which included a survey inviting people to give feedback to us about how you see our parish. We are grateful to everyone (more than 120 people) who took the time to fill out the survey! There was some great feedback! The Finance Council has been taking the time to collate the feedback that was provided, to celebrate the positive things that have been noted, and to address the concerns and challenges. We look forward to sharing with you more of the information as we move into this new year.

SACRAMENTAL LIFE

St. John Paul II Parish Family extends its prayers and sympathy to the family of Jean Short.

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord

We welcome Skyler & Ashley Roder’s son, Brooks Jacob, who was baptized on January 11th.

We welcome Francis & Melinda Kennebeck’s son, Junior Joseph, who was baptized on January 11th.

