



MISSION STATEMENT

To love and serve God and neighbor by the way we worship, assist those in need, and educate in the faith with fidelity to Sacred Scripture and the tradition of the Catholic Church.



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TOGETHER AS ONE APPEAL: (Numbers in parentheses indicate an increase from last week.)

| # of pledges | # of increased pledges | # of new pledges | Pledged to date | Goal |
|--------------|------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------|
| 346 (+12) | 119 (+6) | 25 (+1) | \$58,500 | \$46,426 |



We are doing very well. Thank you for your support.

ALL SAINTS DAY which falls on a Sunday this year is the patronal feast of our parish, and worthy of celebration. It is followed on Monday with the Commemoration of the Faithful Departed, more commonly known as ALL SOULS DAY, and also worthy of celebration. It is the day when Catholics customarily and rightly gather as a community to pray for their deceased loved ones.

- In support of this tradition, in addition to the Monday 8:45AM Mass, there will be a second Mass that day at 6:00PM (both at the St. Joseph site). The names of those who have died in the past year will be read at the beginning of Mass.
- Masses for “those in purgatory” will continue to be offered throughout the month. If you wish your deceased loved ones to be included in any of these Masses as the special intention of the priest, envelopes for your offering (customarily a \$10.00 stipend) are found in your envelope packet.

AMAZING POSSIBILITIES: Thursday, November 5, at 7PM CST, Matthew Kelly’s virtual event, **Amazing Possibilities**. Visit DynamicCatholic.com/AMZP for more information and to purchase your ticket(s). Each attendee will receive access to the event via email as well as an event pack containing Matthew Kelly’s event exclusive book, **Amazing Possibilities**. During the event, you’ll also have access to a live Q&A with Matthew Kelly himself! **The world sees who you are. God sees who you still can be.**

ADORATION FOR VOCATIONS: As we did last year, we will hold a 24-hour period of Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration to pray specifically for *vocations to the priesthood and religious life*. It will be held from 7:00PM, Tuesday, November 10 – 7:00PM, Wednesday, November 11 at the St. Joseph site. A sign-up sheet is available in the gathering area.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS: Holiday Dinner, November 23. We will eat at 6PM and play bingo with prizes. Tickets must be purchased no later than November 16 and be will be available for sale in the parish office for \$13 or by contacting Debie Caldwell at 209-985-5199.

CHRISTMAS CANDY WALK 2020: After much consideration and concerns for everyone’s health and well-being with Covid19, we will be canceling our Christmas Candy Walk for this year. We look forward to seeing you next year, December 11, 2021.
Your friends In Christ, Melissa Galles and Kara Bouma

DAMAGE DEPOSIT: NOW AND AGAIN those who use parish facilities (parish halls/kitchens or the family room at St. Joseph) have not been responsible in the clean-up that courtesy requires. Our policy is that at the time the space is rented, a damage fee of \$100 is also collected, and returned (or destroyed, if a check was given) once the event has ended in good order.

OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY

- ◆ Annette Kertels of our parish entered eternal life on October 22, 2020.
- ◆ Phyllis (Schlessler) O’Neill entered eternal life on October 22, 2020. She was the sister to Robert (Ruby) Schlessler and Dolores Arens of our parish.
- ◆ Cindy Schlichte of our parish, entered eternal life on October 23, 2020.
- ◆ Marvin Manker entered eternal life on October 23, 2020. He was the father of Sandy (Gary) Reuter of our parish.
- ◆ Viola Gengler entered eternal life on October 23, 2020. She was the mother of Tammie (Bill) Miller of our parish.
May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

HOLY BAPTISM

- ◆ We welcome Eve Fernella Scheitler, daughter of Jake and Kimberly Scheitler, who joined the Catholic faith through the waters of baptism on October 24, 2020.
Welcome Eve!



BAPTISM: Pre-baptism class for parents planning on the baptism of an infant will be November 29. Please spread the word. Class will be in Richter Hall at 2:00PM. Social distancing will be observed for the safety of all attending.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

- Mon Nov 2 - 8:45AM All Saints-St. Joseph-All Souls Day**
Art Solis; Zachary Delarm; Faithfully Departed;
- 6:00PM All Saints-St. Joseph-All Souls Day
Faithfully Departed;
- Tue Nov 3 - 8:45AM All Saints-St. Joseph**
Patricia Becker;
Richard & Ruth Rhodes Family;
- Wed Nov 4 - 8:45AM All Saints-St. Joseph-No Gehlen Mass**
Alice Vaske; Betty Erdmann;
Donnie Reistroffer;
- Thu Nov 5 - 8:45AM All Saints-St. Joseph-No Gehlen Mass**
Dec. Members of Ray & Lorraine Ruden family;
Don & Harriet Langel (Wedding A);
Faithfully Departed;
- Fri Nov 6 - 8:45AM All Saints-St. Joseph**
Alice, Greg, Kenneth, Barry, Cindy Schlichte;
Charlie Eufers;
Elwood & Darlene Koopman;
- Sat Nov 7 - 4:00PM All Saints-St. Joseph**
Erma Bush; Marge Petricka;
- 5:30PM All Saints-St. Joseph
Robert Ahlers;
- Sun Nov 8 - 8:00AM All Saints-St. Joseph**
People of All Saints;
- 8:30AM St. Joseph, Ellendale
Russ Kurth (A);
- 9:30AM All Saints-St. Joseph
Jim Ruden;
-11:00AM All Saints-St. Joseph
Beau Langel (Bday);
Ralph Schnepf (A);
-12:30PM All Saints-St. Joseph
Faithfully Departed;

OCTOBER 25, 2020 INCOME

All Saints Parish

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| Adult Tithing | \$19,256.67 |
| All Saints Repair/Maintenance | 175.00 |
| Auto Repair/Maintenance | 80.00 |
| Auto Withdrawal | 1,735.00 |
| Grain Donations | 23,321.92 |
| Loose Offerings | 319.00 |
| Online Donations | 150.00 |
| Total | \$45,037.59 |

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| Catholic Charities | 50.00 |
| Christmas | 25.00 |
| Endowment | 155.00 |
| Fall Dinner Donations | 55.00 |
| Immaculate Conception | 25.00 |
| St. Joseph Education Society | 100.00 |
| World Mission Sunday | 185.00 |

ON-LINE BENEFIT for parishioner Ashley Holtgrewe: Ashley has been diagnosed with breast cancer and a go-fund me page has been established to help the family with the medical costs they face. Zach and Ashley have 3 daughters, ages 7, 4 and 2. If you can help this family in their need, go to gofundme.com/f/a-dose-of-strength-for-ashley039s-breast-cancer.

CHRISTIAN NEEDS CENTER-NOVEMBER

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| Jelly | Shampoo |
| Pasta Sauce | Toilet Paper |
| Soup | Toothpaste |

PARISH INFORMATION:

Office hrs. 8AM-3:30PM
Address: 605 Plymouth St. NE, Le Mars, IA 51031
Website: allsaintslemars.org
Adoration: Rose Schlessler 712-541-3518
Calvary Cemetery: Steve DeRocher 712-540-5220
Prayer Chain: Norrine Kellen 712-546-9562
Loretta Schnepf 712-546-8090
Annette Kuiken 712-540-4168

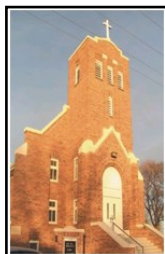
Office phone number: 712-546-5223

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Gehlen Catholic School: 712-546-4181
Gehlen website: www.gehlencatholic.org



CONFESSIONS

Before Weekend Masses
and Wednesdays 5-6PM
St. Joseph Site



St. Joseph Ellendale

23533 K22, Merrill, IA

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lord, this is the people that long to see your face.

OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY

- ◆ Lawrence Hecht of our parish, entered eternal life October 20, 2020.
*May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed
through the mercy of God rest in peace.*

TOGETHER AS ONE APPEAL: There were no new pledges to the Appeal since last week; we remain about \$300 short of our goal. Roughly half of our parish families participated last year (41 out of 88), and so far this year, roughly half of that amount (18). Thank you to those who have contributed, and if you have not done so, please prayerfully consider taking part.

OCTOBER 25, 2020 INCOME

St. Joseph, Ellendale

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| Adult tithing | \$200.00 |
| Loose | 2.00 |
| Total | \$202.00 |

PARISH INFORMATION:

Mailing Address: 605 Plymouth St. NE,
Le Mars, IA 51031
Bulletin Correspondent: Kathy Ream 712-389-5271
Cemetery: Jim Tentinger 712-251-3007
Ross Tentinger 712-898-0516
Director Religious Ed: Mj Tapper 712-568-2754
Hall Rent: Kathy Ream 712-389-5271
Prayer Chain: Marlene Pridie 712-568-2198
Barb Foley 712-539-2243