OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY

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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.

FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK! CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE!!

CONGRATULATIONS 2020 CONFIRMANDS:


God’s blessings to each of you.

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

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The number of new participants, and “old” participants who increased their pledges is wonderful! Thank you for your generous support.

ADORATION FOR Vocations: sign up has been good, but there is still room for more. And even without signing up, you can drop in anytime from 7:00PM Tuesday, November 10 – 7:00PM Wednesday, November 11 to spend time in prayer, beseeching the Lord to send workers into his vineyard. Exposition on Tuesday will include Incensation of the Eucharist and a Litany for Vocations. Exposition will end on Wednesday with Benediction at 7:00PM. Consider attending these opening and closing ceremonies, as well as your prayer time!

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 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

FUNERAL DINNER CHAIR NEEDED for funerals held at St. James. This ministry is a wonderful opportunity to serve grieving families. Please consider volunteering for this work of charity and contact the parish office. Thanks to Diann Kolk for her four years of service!

ATTENDANCE AT THE SATURDAY 5:30PM MASS is usually very small. We will monitor over the next several weeks to see if attendance shrinks further, now that it is dark by 5:30PM, with an eye to possibly dropping this Mass. For those who would like to attend Mass but want a spacious church for social distancing – this is the Mass to attend!

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HOLY BAPTISM

♦ We welcome Lilliana Diane Bowman, daughter of Derrick Bowman and Christina Baack and Owen Jay Galles, son of Jeremy and Melissa Galles. Both children joined the Catholic faith through the waters of baptism on November 1, 2020.
Welcome Lilliana and Owen!

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

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**Parish Information:**

- **Address:** 605 Plymouth St. NE, Le Mars, IA 51031
- **Website:** allsaintslemars.org
- **Adoration:** Rose Schlesser 712-541-3518
- **Calvary Cemetery:** Steve DeRocher 712-540-5220
- **Prayer Chain:** Norrine Kellen 712-546-9562
- **Loretta Schnepl:** 712-546-8090
- **Annette Kuiken:** 712-540-4168

**Legion Steak Fry**

November 28, 2020—5:30PM to 7PM
Dine-in or Carry Out, call 712-546-5609

**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 Priddle 712-568-2198
- **Barb Foley:** 712-539-2243

**St. Joseph Ellendale**

23533 K22, Merrill, IA

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

My soul is thirsting you, O my God.

**Prayer for the Holy Souls**

Our Lord dictated the following prayer to St. Gertrude to release 1,000 Souls from Purgatory each time it is said. "Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy souls in Purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, those in my own home and within my family. Amen."

**November 1, 2020 Income**

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**NOVEMBER 1, 2020 INCOME**

- **St. Joseph, Ellendale:** $1,248.00
- **Loose:** $22.00
- **Total:** $1,270.00
- **All Saints Holy Day:** 25.00

- **Christian Needs:** 20.00
- **Endowment:** 95.00
- **Fall Dinner Donations:** 55.00
- **St. Joseph Education Society:** 95.00