OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY

- Virginia Wagner entered eternal life November 24, 2020. She was the sister of Charlie (Jean) Neuroth and David (Geraldine) Neuroth of our parish.
- Wanda Delperdang entered eternal life November 28, 2020. She was the sibling-in-law of Donna (Gary) Mousel, Paul (Dottie) Delperdang and Dan Delperdang of our parish.
- Tom Langel of our parish entered eternal life November 28, 2020.
- Diana Bixenman of our parish entered eternal life November 30, 2020.
- Pauline Klein entered eternal life December 2, 2020. She was the mother to Jan Harms of our parish.

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

CHRISTMAS/NEW YEARS MASS SCHEDULES:
Space is limited. There are multiple Masses scheduled to accommodate worship time for all. A letter has been mailed to everyone regarding this and other updates.

- Christmas Eve— 4PM, 5:30PM, 10PM (ALL LIVE-STREAM) 7PM Spanish Mass
- Christmas Day— 9AM, 10:30AM (ALL LIVE-STREAM) 9AM on Cable 12 at 11AM
- New Years Eve— 5:30PM
- New Years Day— 9AM (LIVE-STREAM)

EXTENDED CONFESSION TIME DURING ADVENT:
Beginning next Wednesday, December 9, confessions will be held at the St. Joseph site from 5:00PM – 7:00PM. For the good of their spiritual lives, Catholics are obligated to celebrate the Sacrament at least once a year. Advent is a great time to do so.

GC VESPERS SERVICE-no public allowed:
Thursday, December 10, 7PM (LIVE-STREAM) go to allsaintslemars.org, click on “Watch Mass Live”.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION MASS TIMES:
Due to COVID protocols, the obligation to attend is suspended. Masses will be as follows:
Monday, Dec. 7, 5:30PM & Tuesday, Dec. 8, 8:45AM

PODCAST: Listen in on the weekly 20 minute podcast, "Outcast Catholic," hosted by our own Father Travis Crotty along with Father Shane Deman, director of vocations for the Diocese of Sioux City and chaplain of Heelan High School. Their goal is to target 3 main audiences:
1. Catholics in rural Midwest who feel disconnected.
2. Those that think the Catholic Church is outcast and out of touch.
3. People who find themselves outcast within their own faith community or family environment.
The show can be accessed through major podcast platforms: Apple Podcasts, Spotify, Sticher, Google Podcasts and Amazon Alexa.

CONGRATULATIONS 2020 CONFIRMANDS:
Angel Alfaro, Austin Haworth, Brandon Kramer, Keaton Logan, and Elizabeth Shellabarger received the Sacrament of Confirmation, November 29, 2020. God’s blessings to each of you!

HOLY BAPTISM
- Parker Thomas Schroeder, son of Preston & Tanya Schroeder, baptized November 28, 2020
- Clara Elizabeth Berry, daughter of Kenneth & Angela Berry, baptized November 29, 2020
Both have joined the Catholic faith through the waters of baptism. Welcome Parker and Clara!

MARRIAGE AT ALL SAINTS PARISH
- Jeremy Rhodes & Barbara Barnett Married November 28, 2020
May God bless their marriage for many years! Congratulations!

FINANCE COMMITTEE MINUTES: The minutes of the November 19 Parish Finance Committee meeting have been posted on the parish website. Look under the “About” drop down menu for “AS Finance Committee.”

ACTIVE LECTORS: Please pick up your new workbook at the parish office.
CHRISTMAS CANDY WALK HAS BEEN CANCELED!

NOVEMBER 29, 2020 INCOME

All Saints Parish
Adult Tithing $11,049.00
All Saints Repair/Maintenance 50.00
Auto Repair/Maintenance 25.00
Auto Withdrawal 710.00
Christmas 20.00
Grain Donation 4,881.29
Loose Offerings 446.50
Online Donations 220.00
Total $17,401.79

Weather Alert: If school is late or canceled due to weather, the 8:45AM Mass will also be canceled. But note that during these days when we live-stream daily Mass for the sake of those isolating because of COVID, the 8:45AM Mass takes place as usual even when there is a funeral. (This is a change from our pre-COVID custom of canceling.)

Lost and Found
- A ring was found in the south parking lot here Saturday, 11/28, after 5:30PM Mass.
- A silver cross charm was found in the church Monday evening, 11/30, following Larry Clark’s wake service.

These 2 items can be claimed at the parish office.
Hours are 8AM to 3:30PM.
Other miscellaneous items can be found on the shelves by the parish office door.

PARISH INFORMATION:
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Annette Kuiken 712-540-4168

Immaculate Conception Mass:
Due to COVID protocols, the obligation to attend is suspended. Mass will be Tuesday, Dec. 8, 5:45PM

CHRISTMAS EVE MASS—4:30PM

St. Joseph Ellendale
23533 K22, Merrill, IA
Second Sunday of Advent
Lord, let us see Your kindness, and grant us Your salvation.

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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

NOVEMBER 29, 2020 INCOME
St. Joseph, Ellendale
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Adult Tithing $700.00
Loose 52.00
Total $752.00

Our Sincere Sympathy
- Larry Clark entered eternal life November 26, 2020. He was the father of David (Mary Jo) Clark of our parish.
- May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

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