

Liturgical Ministries Schedule

	Saturday 5:00 PM October 24	Sunday 8:30 AM October 25	Sunday 10:30 AM October 25
Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Linda Hansen Lisa Odendahl	Renee Quance Stacy Sieperda	Monica Niccum Michella Koppen
Lectors	Jean Mohr	Ron Crowley	Karen Fergen
Altar Servers			
Hospitality Ministers	Dave Hansen Sam Odendahl	Doug Zemler	Brian Koppen Dr. Craig Cunningham
Music Ministers	Cain Junkman		
Gift Bearers			

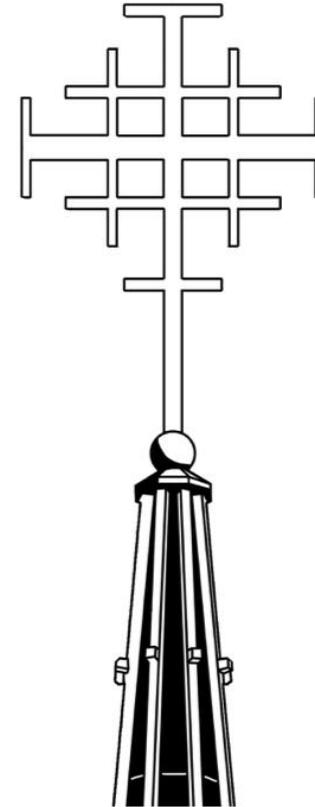
Liturgies and Events This Week

Monday, Oct. 19 No Mass Tuesday, Oct. 20 5:30PM Mass +Bill & Millie Kisting	Wednesday, Oct. 21 12:00Noon Mass 12:30-4:00Adoration + Don Kruse	Thursday, Oct. 22 7:30AM Mass +Grady & Joyce Parham Friday, Oct. 23 12:00Noon Mass +Carol Kirschbaum	Saturday, Oct. 24 5:00PM Mass +Paul Delaney Sunday, Oct.25 8:30AM Mass +L.&D. of St. Mary's 10:30AM Mass +Mike Dailey
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The sanctuary lamp burns this week for our government officials.

Stewardship for October 11, 2020 Adults: \$6,150.26 Online: \$ 446.00 Guatemala: \$100.00 Special: \$	<i>Most people need wills, and when you make yours, remember St. Mary's!</i>
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St. Mary's Parish



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29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 18, 2020

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Baptism – Contact the office to inquire about pre-baptismal class.

Marriage – Contact the office at least six months before date of wedding.

Confessions – Wednesday 3:30PM, Saturday 4:00PM, Sunday 10:00AM.

Eucharistic Adoration – Wednesday 12:30PM – 4:00PM.

Catholic Daughters of America

Sunday, October 18th is Catholic Daughters of America Sunday. St. Mary's CDA Court invites you to join their meetings on the first Tuesday of each month after the 5:30PM Mass. For more information, see the display in the narthex.

Religious Education Reminder

Just a reminder that next Wednesday, October 21st, there will be in-person class for all PK-10th grade students. There will be a Family of Faith Parent meeting for the month of November that night beginning at 5:15PM. This session will also be available as a recording afterwards. October 29th is class in-home. If you have questions or need help with anything related to the Family of Faith curriculum, do not hesitate to call the office. We are here to support you and your family in its effort to grow in faith to love and serve the Lord.

High School Holy Hour/Eucharistic Adoration

Sunday, November 1st, St. Mary's welcomes all high school students to Eucharistic Adoration. We will begin at 7:00PM. All students will be led in prayer and worship for about one hour. Then we will enjoy some refreshments together. This is a great time to slow down and spend time with Jesus in the spirit of a Steubenville conference. Mark your calendars!

Together As One

Remember the excitement you had when you attended marriage preparation classes? You knew that you were getting ready for one of the very best adventures of your life, and God was there with you. When you offer your gift to *Together As One*, you support this wonderful program, along with many others. We are now at **50%** of our parish goal of **\$28, 397.00**. For those of you who have not returned the pledge card, please do so soon. We are truly coming *Together As One* to meet our goal. Thank you!

Sunday Masses

Since we are still in the time of social distancing, wearing masks and keeping our congregation smaller, we will continue to have two masses on Sunday until further notice. Stay safe and healthy!

Church Envelopes

We are updating our family directory data-base. Please notify the church office if there is any name or address change on your envelopes. Also, please let us know if you are not receiving the envelopes or do not want to use them. You may opt for on-line or ACH tithing.

Please Keep in Your Prayers

All Confidential Prayer Chain requests may be directed to Jean Mohr, our Prayer Chain Coordinator at 712-336-2559 or 712-320-5433. Prayer intentions may be entered in the Prayer Request book.

40 Days for Life

40 Days for Life fall campaign runs from September 23- November 1. Please pray for an end to the evil of abortion. If you got one of the Devotional Guides last fall, please use it to join the world in prayer.

Subscribe to the Lumen

The official newspaper of the diocese of Sioux City is now called the *Lumen* (formerly the Globe). The subscription drive is currently underway. In past years the newspaper was mailed to all households on record whether or not a subscription was paid. This is no longer the case. To receive the *Lumen* after **October 31st**, you must subscribe. Make sure you don't miss a single issue by sending in your \$30.00 subscription to Lumen Media, P.O. Box 5079, Sioux City, IA 51102. Online at www.lumenmedia.org.

Holiday Market and Toy Shop

The Catholic Daughters will have a holiday market and toy shop on November 6th and 7th. They will start collecting donations in the classrooms on October 25th. Toys, children's books, children's CD/DVD's, puzzles, games and holiday decorations will be collected. Donations should be in good condition please. More details to come!

Cherish House-Baby Bottle Campaign

During the month of October Cherish House is sponsoring a fundraiser. Please take a baby bottle and fill with your donation and return it to St. Mary's. Your coins can make a difference in the lives of young mothers and their children. Please return the bottles by November 1st.

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

Are you hurting from abortion? God's healing hand wants to smooth your wounds. There will be a retreat on October 23-25, 2020. Contact rachelshelpersofiowa@gmail.com, call or text 712-943-5550.

Pope Francis Speaks to the Heart

Rivers do not drink their own water; trees do not eat their own fruit; the sun does not shine on itself and flowers do not spread their own fragrance for themselves. Living for others is a rule of nature. We are all born to help each other. No matter how difficult it is---Life is good when you are happy; but much better when others are happy because of you!

