July 21, 2019

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Social Concerns: 5% of Envelopes

Over/(Under) Budget
Bricks and Mortar budget
Budgeted Gifts and Offertory
Unrestricted Gifts and Offertory
Over/(Under) Budget
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Parish Library - Open during office hours.

Feed My Sheep: The Marion Food Pantry requests peanut butter. Please place your offering in the basket on the altar or ask an usher to take it to the front.

Pilgrim Virgin Statue: Honor the Blessed Virgin Mary by gathering from July 21 - 26, to pray the Rosary at the home of Richard and Carmelita Scott, 5907 Windy Meadows Lane NE, at 7:00 PM each evening. All are welcome.

Infant Baptism: The next baptism preparation session will be held on Saturday, September 14, 2019, in the St. Joseph Room of the parish offices from 9:00 to 11:00 AM. Contact Deacon Dennis Ternes at d.ternes@dbqarch.org or d.ternes@dbqarch.org.

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**Weekly Calendar & Mass Intentions**

**Monday, July 22**
7:00 AM Adoration
7:00 PM Scripture Study

**Tuesday, July 23**
7:30 AM MASS † Lester & Irene Kula
7:00 PM Men of Action, St. Joseph Room
1:00 PM Gems of Hope, Church Hall

**Wednesday, July 24**
7:30 AM MASS † Roger Menke & Ruth Kerns
9:30 AM Scripture Study, St. Joseph Room

**Thursday, July 25**
6:00 AM Men of Action, Church Hall
7:30 AM MASS † Ruth Woodhouse
8:00 AM Coffee & Doughnuts, Church Hall
2:30 PM The Villages † Bob Brown

**Friday, July 26**
7:30 AM MASS † Bill Altenhofen
6:30 PM Silent Prayer, Church

**Saturday, July 27**
3:30 PM Reconciliation
4:30 PM MASS † Urban Becker

**Sunday, July 28**
8:00 AM MASS † For the People
10:30 AM MASS † Dave Matt

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**St. Joseph Parish Office Hours**
8:00 - 12:00 PM and 1:00 - 5:00 PM
Monday - Friday

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**MASS INTENTIONS**

Please call Deacon Jeff Volker at the Parish Office

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**Sunday Envelope Giving**

**Week of July 14, 2019 - Week 3**

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**Ministry Schedule**

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Women’s Connection
Come join us Thursday, **August 8**, as we begin our 16th year of ministry. Women’s Connection offers widows from the parish the opportunity to share experiences, solve problems, support each other emotionally and spiritually and have fun, all while developing true and lasting friendships. Gatherings are the second Thursday of each month, 1:15 to 3:15 PM at the school. For more information, please contact Sally Wilkinson at: 373-5484.

Coffee & Conversation
Join our informal, friendly gathering of women of the parish every fourth Friday of the month for “Coffee and Conversation.” Next date: **July 26, 2019.** Mr. Bean’s meeting room, 1080 East Post Road, Marion, 9:30 -11:00 AM. No need to RSVP.

St. Joseph Quilting Ministry
The Quilting Ministry meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month in the Church Hall from 1:00 - 3:00 PM where they make quilts for various charities throughout the greater Cedar Rapids area. Next meeting date: **August 13.** For more information, please contact Lynn Mitchell at 377-6166.

Prayer Shawl Ministry
Compassion and knitting/crocheting combined into a prayerful ministry which reaches out to those in need of comfort. Contact Sharon at 373-2810. Prayer Shawl Ministry meets the first Wednesday of the month, from 1:00 - 3:00 PM, in the St. Matthew Room. Next meeting date: **August 7, 2019.**

Gems of Hope, Inc.
Gems of Hope, Inc. is a nonprofit organization that offers small gifts mounted on inspirational cards to cancer patients, bringing hope to the patients and their families. St. Joseph’s group meets the 4th Tuesday of each month, in the church hall from 1:00 - 3:00 PM to make the cards that are given to others. Next meeting date: **July 23.** For more information, please contact Kathy Conrad at 377-8371.

Pietra Fitness Classes
Join for gentle stretching and strengthening of the body combined with prayer and Christian meditation. Wednesdays, in the St. Joseph Room, from 2:00 - 3:00 PM. Suggested offering of $5 per class. **No class on July 24.**

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

My favorite thing about being Catholic is getting to receive the true body and blood of Christ in the Eucharist. The more I ponder this profound mystery, the more amazed I am at what exactly is happening when each of us receives the physical body of God at Mass! (Sean McVeigh) BTW, what do you think about when you receive the body and blood of Jesus in the Eucharist? What do you think about when you look at the people sitting around you who have just received Him?

**Lectio Divina** – Mondays from 7:00 to 9:00 PM in the St. Joseph room from now through **August 12** in the St. Joseph Room. Lectio Divina is a prayerful reading of the Word of God. We will focus on the upcoming Sunday Gospel.

**The Ten Commandments** – Sean McVeigh is running a series right now on the Ten Commandments that takes place every Sunday from 9:15 AM to 10:15 AM. If you miss one, you can still come to others.

**Scripture Study** – Registration for our next Scripture Study is now open. The Gospel of Matthew: *The King and His Kingdom* as presented by Jeff Cavins and Ascension Press. This is a 24-week study.

- **Our Monday** evening group meets from **7:00 to 9:00 PM** and will begin on **August 26.** (there will not be class the following week due to Labor Day, **September 2**)
- **Our Wednesday** morning group meets from **9:30 to 11:30 AM** and will begin on **September 4.**
- **Meetings are held in the St. Joseph room.** All are welcome to attend and you can register online at: [https://stjoesmarion.org/scripture-study](https://stjoesmarion.org/scripture-study).
- **Cost of the Study Guide is $30 payable through Thithe.ly or cash/check at class.**

**Young Adult Adoration** – St. Joseph is collaborating with other parishes in the area to provide Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament for young adults on the first Friday of every month from 9:00 PM to midnight. The current schedule is: **August 2 - St. Patrick,** **September 6 - All Saints,** **October 4 - St. Elizabeth,** **November 1 - St. Matthew,** **December 6 - to be determined,** **January 3 - St. Joseph,** and **February 7 - St. Pius X.** More dates to come.

**RCIA Sign Up** – If you or an adult you know not yet received all of the Sacraments of Initiation, contact Sean McVeigh to get started in the process.
Enjoy coffee and doughnuts, the 4th Thursday of the month, following 7:30 AM Mass, in the church hall. Next coffee and doughnut date: July 25, 2019
Sponsored by the Men of Action

St. Joseph Troop 68
Annual Sweet Corn Sales
$7.00 per Dozen or $3.50 for 1/2 Dozen.
Fresh Iowa grown sweet corn to help the boys fund their Boy Scout activities. Please order online at: https://forms.gle/qzKrDP63ZC9XQ4dy6.
The first picking is estimated to be July 26th! In the comments section you may make an optional note if you would like a standing weekly or bi-weekly order.
If you have questions or to place a phone order please call Michelle Simoneau, Asst. Scoutmaster, at 319-573-5830.

Future Saints Football Camp (Entering Grades 5-8)
August 5-7

Calling all future Saints football players entering Grades 5-8! Registration is now open for the 2019 Future Saints Football Camp. This camp gives young athletes an opportunity to learn football fundamentals from Xavier’s state champion-caliber varsity coaching staff. Camp will be held August 5-7, from 5:30-7:00 PM each evening at Xavier High School. Campers should arrive by 5:15 p.m. Sign up online at: https://www.xaversaints.org/camps. Contact Pam Barta in the Xavier Activities Office with any questions at: pam.barta@xaversaints.org or (319) 294-6635.

Financial results and an evangelization outreach summary will be published next week. Final numbers are being reviewed by staff prior to release.
Missionary Coop — Welcome to Brother Craig Digmann of the Glenmary Home Missioners who will be speaking to us about missionary territory in the United States and what Glenmary has been doing to serve Christ and His Church. Envelopes for the collection were included in last weekend’s bulletin and may be placed in the collection basket this weekend and next or mailed to the parish office. All donations must be processed through the parish and not sent directly to the missionary making the appeal, hence checks are to be made out to St. Joseph Church with a memo reading “Mission Appeal.” Thanks in advance for your kindness to Brother Craig and for your generosity to his appeal on behalf of Glenmary.

Grandparent Day — has been designated as July 26, the Memorial of Sts. Anne and Joachim, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary and grandparents of our Lord. Grandparents are cherished members of their family and of our parish community. We will recognize and affirm the role they occupy in the family and parish with a special blessing at each Mass next weekend, July 27-28. Be sure to bring your grandparents to church with you! Also, check the bulletin to discover other offerings for grandparents.

Beauty Alive: On Fire!
Seven Dates: Seven Sites.
To check out locations: https://www.dbqarch.org/offices/council-of-catholic-women/beauty-alive/.
Registration is appreciated, but not required: https://www.dbqarch.org/?s=Beauty+Alive.

Saturday, October 26, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM. St. Mary, Waverly.
This daylong retreat will help women reflect on their lives as fearless, faithful disciples of Christ in the home, the workplace, and the public square. Women will have time to pray together, hear amazing talks, discuss ideas, and create a plan for living more fearlessly and faithfully in today’s world. Please invite your sisters, friends, parishioners to attend this day designed for women. Sponsored by ACCW. Registration: https://www.dbqarch.org/event/archdiocesan-womens-retreat-fearless-faithful-feminine/?instance_id=1492

Register now for Archdiocesan Lay Formation. IMPACT!
IMPACT begins in September, 2019. Monthly sessions will meet at St. Joseph Church, Elkader. Grants available. To learn more, please visit DBQArch.org/Impact or contact Mary Pedersen at dbqcaf@dbqarch.org. Register by visiting DBQArch.org/Impact and clicking on "2019-2021 IMPACT Application."

Grandparenting Conference: Leaving a Legacy of Faith by Telling Our Stories:
Grandparents are vital to the New Evangelization! Please register now for the early bird rate:
Saturday, August 24, 2019, St. Mary, Waverly. Registration:
https://www.dbqarch.org/event/grandparent-conference/?instance_id=1457

2020 Archdiocesan Men’s Conference

Mark your calendars for the 2020 Archdiocesan Men’s Conference:
Saturday, March 14, 2020 at Xavier Catholic High School, Cedar Rapids.
The keynote speaker will be Patrick Madrid, with Archbishop Jackels presiding at Mass. Please spread the word to men in your parishes to save the date!