June 17, 2018

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Liturgies

Weekend Mass: Saturday 4:30 PM
              Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

Weekday Mass: Monday through Friday 7:30 AM
              (Summer hours)

Reconciliation: Saturdays 3:30 PM - 4:00 PM

Adoration: Mondays following 7:30 Mass until 9:00 PM
New to the Parish: Welcome! Please call the office to make an appointment to register at 377-4869.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Call the office and make an appointment with the priest or deacon.

Prayer Chain: Contact Dawn at 377-4869 or d.ternes@dbqarch.org.

Advanced Care Planning Consultants: Learn about Church teachings on health issues and find help with documents pertaining to durable power of attorney for health care and Health care decision directives. Parish contacts: Theresa Alt, 319-447-1132 or alt.theresa@yahoo.com, Jean Randolph, 319-377-0497 or jrn928722@mchsi.com, Deacon Dennis Ternes, 319-377-4869 or d.ternes@dbqarch.org and Deacon Ken Bauer, 319-377-4869 or k.bauer@dbqarch.org.

Feed My Sheep: The Marion Food Pantry needs bath tissue and Kleenex. Please place your offering in the basket on the altar or ask an usher to take it to the front.

Infant Baptism: The next baptism preparation session will be held on Saturday, July 7, 2018, 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 377-4869 to register and learn more.

Sunday Envelope Giving Week of June 7, 2018 - Week 50

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Donations, Gifts—Unrestricted $123,540.31
Budgeted Donations—Unrestricted $28,846.15
Over / (Under) budget $94,694.16

Bricks and Mortar Envelopes $44,502.66
Bricks and Mortar budget $43,432.69
Over/(Under) Budget $1,069.97

Social Concerns 5% of Donations $1,165.63

Ministry Schedule

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Mass Intentions

Please see Dawn Feltman in the Office

St. Joseph Bulletin

Submission deadline Tuesday Noon for the following Sunday. Please send by email to: t.martin@dbqarch.org.

Early deadline for July 8 Bulletin Monday July 2, 2018

St. Joseph Parish Office Hours
8:00 - 12:00 PM and 1:00 - 5:00 PM Monday - Friday
Women’s Connection

Please join us for the monthly luncheon on June 28, @ 11:30 - Culver’s - Marion. For more information contact Carol Gonzalez at 654-6296.

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 the following Wednesdays: June 20 or July 4. There will be class on June 27 and regular class schedule will resume on July 11.

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 will NOT meet in July.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? If you have been thinking about becoming Catholic or would like to know more about the Catholic faith and the RCIA process, contact Deacon Dennis to get more information. Email d.ternes@dbqarch.org or call the office at 377-4869.

Liturgy of the Hours Workshop

During every hour of every day all around the world, bishops, priests, deacons, religious orders, and many lay people are praying the Liturgy of the Hours. Would you like to learn how to join them in this communal prayer of the Church? A 5-week workshop is being offered on Monday evenings at 6:30 PM beginning July 9 at Immaculate Conception Parish, Cedar Rapids. The cost of the workshop is $3.00 for materials. A Christian Prayer Book is also needed. One may be purchased through registering for the workshop at a reduced price of $30.00. For more information and to register, contact Deacon Ken Bauer before June 25. Email: k.bauer@dbqarch.org or phone the Parish office.

Fun Days Raffle Winners

$25,000 Robert McShane
$10,000 Todd Satterly
$5,000 Margaret Weber
$5,000 Josh Robinson Kruse
$1,000 Lyn Pretz
$1,000 Sara Tapy-Salem
$1,000 Mary Ann Walter
$1,000 Dan Talley
$1,000 Mary Lee Byrne

Congratulations to all raffle winners! A special thank you to all who purchased raffle tickets.

St. Joseph Catholic Church Vacation Bible School 2018

July 9-13
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
P/K - 6th grade

Register early to secure your spot!
PLUNGE IN!

Cost: $25/child
Includes t-shirt
$10/Music CD/DVD

Registration Deadline is June 29, 2018
Register ONLINE
www.stjoesmarion.org/vbs

Questions? Email VBS Director, Megan Gan stjoesvbs2018@gmail.com

WE NEED YOUR HELP!
TO VOLUNTEER SIGN UP TODAY ON THE WEBSITE!
Coffee and Doughnuts

Enjoy coffee and doughnuts, the 4th Thursday of the month following 7:30 AM Mass in the church hall. Next coffee and doughnut date: June 28, 2018

Sponsored by Men of Action

Attention: Ministries of St. Joseph Parish

All ministers are asked to sign in when they arrive for mass. There is a sign-in binder in the ushers closet at the top of the stairs for lectors, Eucharistic ministers, ushers and door greeters. The sign in for altar servers is on the table in the vesting sacristy and for sacristan’s in the working sacristy. Music ministers can sign in the binder on the piano in the St. Joseph room. THANK YOU for all of your service and dedication to our ministries. You are greatly appreciated!

Rummage Sale
Knights of Columbus Council 5390
5650 Kacena Ave - Marion
July 11 - 13

Wednesday, July 11, Early bird sale from 5:00-7:00 PM
Thursday, July 12, sale from 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Friday, July 13, sale from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM and all merchandise 50% off 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

If you have items you would like to donate, they can be dropped off July 9 -10, from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM or earlier by appointment, at the Marion Columbus Hall. Please text or call Dan Goiffon at (319) 431-8653.

Volunteers are needed to help with setup, goods sorting, goods pricing, donation support, display merchandise up-keep, bagging and boxing of merchandise, customer support & assistance, customer delivery in some cases, and finally redistribution of remaining items. If you are available and would like to volunteer, please contact: Dan Goiffon (319) 431-8653.

A portion of the proceeds this year will go to St. Joseph School. Items left over after the three days are dispersed to service organizations (Camp Courageous, St Vincent DePaul, Salvation Army, etc.).

Please visit: www.kofc5390.org and click on KnightLite for more details.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT: CEO will be having their annual Evangelization Retreat at St. Ludmila Catholic Church on Saturday, June 30, from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Archbishop Jackels will be speaking at the event as well as Deacon Mark Sandersfeld of St. Ludmila’s. A free lunch will be served. In order to get a good count for food, please RSVP by June 22. Email Karen Mathison the names of those attending at: mathison@mchsi.com

Divine Word College to Host Benefit Golf Outing

Divine Word College Seminary in Epworth, Iowa is hosting its Fourth Annual Benefit Golf Outing Friday, July 27 at Timberline Golf Course south of Peosta, Iowa.

Shotgun start at 1 PM for the four-person, 18-hole best shot format. Social and dinner will begin around 5:30 PM. Cost per golfer is $80 and includes, golf, cart, prizes and steak dinner. For anyone wishing to enjoy just the steak dinner, the cost is $25. Anyone interested in playing in or sponsoring the outing may contact Mark Singsank at 563-876-0097 or singsank@dwci.edu.

Proceeds from the golf outing will assist Divine Word students with their educational expenses as they prepare for life as Catholic missionaries.

New Melleray Contemplative Experience

A unique opportunity for men between the age of 21 and 45 to experience living at a Trappist monastery; living, praying, and working with the monks for two weeks. The program is offered from August 6 to 18. For more information on the “New Melleray Contemplative Experience” or to apply, email Brother Paul Andrew at brpaulandrew@newmelleray.org. Information on the Trappist community at New Melleray can be found at newmellaray.org.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

is a weekend to rediscover the spark that was there on your wedding day. Take time to rediscover the best friend you had when you were first married. Join the millions of couples worldwide who have learned how to keep their marriage vibrant and alive by signing up today to attend one of the upcoming Weekends on September 7-9 @ Cedar Falls, October 19-21 @ Marathon, WI and November 2-4 @ Coralville. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: https://www.iowa-wwme.org/ or email: ljwwme08@g mail.com.
A Note from Deacon Tyler Raymond--
Dear St Joe's,

I wanted to extend my heartfelt appreciation for all of the support, love, and prayers you have given me over these years in seminary that have helped me to reach this point of ordination to the transitional deaconate. I would not be here if it were not for everything that I have received from my home parish, from first communion and confirmation, religious education, youth group, and the many friends and parish family who have taught me and made me feel at home and empowered to serve God's people as an ordained minister. In a time when vocations to the priesthood are not as plentiful as we would like, it is a great testament to the strength and holiness of St Joe's parish that I was able to find and answer God's call to the priesthood here. I especially want to thank you for the beautiful Book of the Gospels I received for my ordination. It is a great reminder to me not only of the care I have received from all of you, but also of my mission and ministry as one who proclaims God's saving word. By the Grace of God I hope to be ordained a priest next Memorial Day weekend, and I look forward to celebrating with all of you, and until then serving as a deacon when I am back home! There are many more young men at St Joe's who are called to be priests so please encourage them, ask them if they have thought about priesthood, direct them to the priests, Deacon Josh, or myself, and most of all pray that they will hear and answer God's call for them.

This summer I am with Fr. Gross in Calmar, Festina, Ossian, and Spillville, learning a lot so far about ordained ministry, so please continue to pray for me, and look after Deacon Josh!

May God Bless you all,
Deacon Tyler

The Tiny Mustard Seed—Jesus said, “To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants and puts forth large branches so that the birds of the sky can dwell in its shade” (Mk 4: 30-32).

Jesus taught through a simple parable, yet what is his message? The Kingdom is what God is doing in the world to call all to himself and reconcile them through his Son. His work was inaugurated simply through Jesus’ call of a small band of disciples and through his words and deeds. Yet, he has had a profound, everlasting effect. From the mustard seed has come a large tree welcoming and encompassing the nations.

All well and good, but how do we see this parable at work in our lives? Ultimately, Jesus has involved us all as workers in the Kingdom. In a way, we sow the seeds of the Kingdom. Priests and deacons do so in their parish, parents in the lives of their children and even children in the lives of their parents. Spouses do so for each other. You can sow the Kingdom at work, in school, at the sports complex and on the field. Your work is limitless, anywhere, anytime with anyone. One lesson the parable teaches is that we might be more conscious of and intentional regarding the role we play in the Kingdom. Our words and deeds as works of the Kingdom need not be complex, but very simple, just like the mustard seed. The tiniest seed produces great fruit. Let that insight assist and empower our work on behalf of the Kingdom.

Fun Days: Faith, Family and Community—What a great success we enjoyed at Fun Days! Congratulations to all who were involved from the Steering Committee to the committee heads, the parish staff and the hundreds of volunteers from the most youthful to senior of our parish. Fun Days would not have been successful without the Providence of God, the guidance of faith and the great stewardship of time, talent and treasure shown by so many. Congratulations and a heartfelt thank you to all! Thank you for your commitment to and love for St. Joseph Church!

Father’s Day—I take inspiration for these remarks from the sculpture of the Holy Family that was recently installed in our church. I like the depiction of St. Joseph because it shows him to be a family man, a father and husband who cares for his wife and the child-Jesus. The sculpture shows Joseph with his cloak around Jesus and Mary as one who is their protector. The illuminated lamp he has in his hand indicates that he is a guide by showing his family the way both spiritually and in the world. That’s what a husband is in a marriage and as a father—one who acts as a protector and a guide. He shields his family from the harm the world can do and guides them in the faith by his own fidelity to God and spiritual practice. This Father’s Day as we offer recognition to our Dads and pray for those who have predeceased us, we give thanks for their faith, guidance and protection.