

ST. ANN

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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AUGUST 24, 2008 TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Office Hours

Monday—Thursday	8:00 AM—3:00 PM
Friday	8:00 AM—12:00 Noon
Bulletin Deadline	Monday, 12:00 Noon

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday	5:15 PM
Sunday	8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

Weekday Prayer and Mass Schedule

Mondays: Morning Prayer	8:30 AM
Tuesdays — Fridays: Mass	8:30 AM

Reconciliation

Saturday	4:30 PM to 5:00 PM
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Sacraments

Advance preparation is needed for marriage and baptism. Please call the office for assistance.

St. Ann Staff

Fr. Thomas Parlette, Pastor
 Sally Schulz, Director of Music Ministries
 Mary Gross, Office Manager/Bookkeeper
 Donna Metcalf, Secretary
 Dwight Gittings, Maintenance Manager

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Ministers of Faith Formation

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Parish Council

Melissa Brimeyer, President	Paul Hayungs
John Selby, Vice-President	Brian Murphy
Inez Tobin, Secretary	Paul Rucker
Bill Bolton	Dave Sheridan
Christine Cauwels	Jeff VanDeCastele
Jeremiah Costello	Diana Vollbeer

Committee Chairs

Building and Grounds

Scott Youngbauer

Church Life/Family Life

Karen VanDeCastele/Christine Cauwels

Liturgy

Joanna Riedel

Stewardship

Bill Briggs, 285-9724

Altar Server Coordinators

Julie Newell 285-6498

Finance

Joe Ragona

Faith Formation

Social Action

Kurt Miller

Guild

Celeste Murphy

Deb Sikorski, 285-8460

Administrative Management Team

Loras Schafer.....285-4663	Judy Loussaert.....285-9269
Joe Ragona.....843-3893	Randy Siemsen.....285-4389
Jerry Noel.....285-8162	Fr. Thomas Parlette.....285-4596
Mary Ann Curran 285-8739	Lolita Dierickx 285-7242

Readings & Question for the Week



Reading I: Jesus speaks to Shebna, master of the palace.

Reading II: The judgment of God is inscrutable and his ways unsearchable.

Gospel: Jesus asked his disciples "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?"

Adult: How can you help this week spread the goodness of God?

Children: How will you show God how much you love him this week?

Victim Assistance Coordinator to Report Abuse:

Alicia Owens

Phone: 563/349-5002

21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME





MASS INTENTIONS

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8/23 Sat	Joe Leibold	5:15 PM
8/24 Sun	Bob Schultz	8:00 AM
8/24 Sun	People of the Parish	10:30 AM
8/26 Tue	Dierdre Littell	8:30 AM
8/27 Wed	Brian Sinnott	8:30 AM
8/28 Thu	Mary T. Cronkleton	8:30 AM
8/29 Fri	Ralph Wulf	8:30 AM
8/30 Sat	Harold Judge	5:15 PM
8/31 Sun	People of the Parish	8:00 AM
8/31 Sun	Elaine Sikorski	10:30 AM

FINANCES

PARISH INCOME NEEDS:

Average Weekly Operating Needs	\$ 6,878
Average Weekly Depreciation Needs	\$ 1,642
Average Weekly Tithing Needs	\$ 577
Total Weekly Average Needed	\$9,097
Received 8/17/08	\$7,558
*Under budget	(\$1,539)

Music Ministry

Evening Prayer for Musicians will be offered Wednesday, September 3, at 7:00 p.m. in church for all Sunday and funeral choir members, cantors, accompanists, instrumentalists and interested parishioners. All are called to gather in candlelight, thank God for the day that is ending, sing psalms and pray for the needs of all. There will also be a special blessing for musicians. Whether you are active in music ministry, inactive, retired, or know someone who might be interested in becoming involved, come and experience this beautiful evening of music and prayer.

SATB Choir (Adult & High School) will begin rehearsals for the coming year beginning Sunday, September 7, at 9:00 a.m. in church. The choir will sing for the 10:30 Mass and continue with that schedule each week. New members are welcome to attend.

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers

Please check the table in the commons in front of the church office for your schedule for being a lector and/or Eucharist minister. If you have any questions, please call Betty Zimmer at 285-9751.

Readings for this weekend:

Isaiah 22:19-23, Romans 11:33-36, Matthew 16:13-20

Readings for next weekend:

Jeremiah 20:7-9, Romans 12:1-2, Matthew 16:21-27

Upcoming Meetings at St. Ann

Admin Management on Thursdays at 9:15 AM

Catholic Radio

Tune in each week to Catholic Radio on 92.5 FM.

Upcoming Protecting God's Children Sessions

8/27/08	Bishop Hayes School, Muscatine	6:30 PM
11/9/08	Assumption High School, Davenport	3:00 PM
3/8/09	Assumption High School, Davenport	3:00 PM
5/17/09	Assumption High School, Davenport	3:00 PM

If you are planning to register for one of these sessions please register online at www.virtus.org. Also allow 3 hours for the training.

North Scott Food Pantry

The August 2008 needs for the North Scott Food Pantry are cream soups, jelly and hot or cold cereal.

Hope and Healing Ministries

Hope and Healing Ministries is sponsoring a Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat for spiritual and emotional healing after abortion in Cedar Falls on September 12-14 and in Rock Island, IL on October 24-26. This confidential, supportive retreat is for anyone hurting inside after abortion. For more information or to donate or volunteer call (563) 322-1645 or email hopeandhealing@mchsi.com. Scholarships are available. You can also visit www.rachelsvineyard.org or call a toll-free hotline: 1-877-896-HOPE.

Bulletin Deadline

The deadline for the September 7 bulletin will be by noon on Thursday, August 28 due to the Labor Day holiday.

Altar Serving Schedule

August 30 & 31, 2008

- 5:15 — Arthur & Cecelia Behnke
- 8:00 — Volunteers needed
- 10:30 — Jacob & Megan Sikorski

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers Schedule

August 30 & 31, 2008

- 5:15 — Judy Shipman, Tom VanDeVelde, Inez Tobin, Deb Hanson, Pat Dierickx, Joseph Empeke
- 8:00 — Randy Denner, Darla Zrostlik, Connie Noel, Tom & Kathy Arensdorf, Glen Leach, Nancy Shannon
- 10:30 — Mary Schmidt, Sharon Helm, Joanna Riedel, Larry Helm, Judy Loussaert, Robert Gray, Paul Riedel

Guild Salad Supper

The St. Ann's Guild salad supper will be held on Tuesday, September 2nd at 6:00 p.m. in the church kitchen area. All ladies are invited to join us for food, fun and entertainment. Please bring a salad to share. Rolls, drinks and dessert will be furnished. If you have any questions, please contact Betty Zimmer at 285-9751 or Helen Drummond at 282-4414. We look forward to seeing you on September 2nd.



1st Annual NS Food Pantry Open

This fundraising golf event will be held on Sunday, September 14th at 1:30 p.m. at Rustic Ridge. It will be a best-shot, 9 hole event, so all levels of golfers are encouraged to come! There will be fantastic raffle opportunities, prizes for the winning team (and losing), and numerous hole events! Delicious food will also be available before and after the round. Cost is only \$30/person (this includes cart). See kiosk for additional information. All proceeds will go to the North Scott Food Pantry. If you are not a golfer, but would like to help, please check the kiosk for additional needs: Businesses to sponsor holes or donate prizes, individuals to donate raffle items or money, donations of baked goods for our meal deal, or helping out during the event! Call Jeff or Karen VanDeCastele at 285-1383 to sign up or for more information!



ATONEMENT SERVICE CANCELLED

The Atonement Service scheduled for this Tuesday August 26 has been cancelled. This is due to a computer error which indicated that a priest who had been charged with sexual abuse had been stationed here at St Ann. He had not been, so the service has been cancelled. If you wish to attend one of the Atonement Services, they are listed in the Catholic Messenger.

Automatic Deposits Available

You can make weekly, building fund, and ADA contributions with automatic deposits. Contact the office if interested.



YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

Continuing Education Scholarship

Congratulations to Emily Hayung; the winner of the Continuing Education Scholarship. Emily will be attending Mt. Mercy College. We wish her much success at school.

September Program at Our Lady of the Prairie

Walking for your Spirit

Thursday, September 4, 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Be in the moment—observe the beauty around you and reconnect with yourself. Discover that walking can lead to inner peace, mental focus, and spiritual awareness. After a short warm-up we'll walk and explore The Prairie trails as a group. Cost: \$15 (includes lunch)

Targeting Our Energies Toward Personal and Planetary Health

Tuesday, September 16, 9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Working for justice and peace while maintaining our sanity can be a challenge. How do we get involved and how do we stay involved without over-committing ourselves? This is an opportunity to consider your own social justice issues and how you address them. Cost \$15 (includes lunch)

Sowing in Tears, Reaping in Joy

Friday, September 19, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

We will discuss the natural process through which human beings grieve the loss of someone or something we love. Cost \$15 (includes lunch)

Weekend Retreat For Women

September 26-28 Friday, 7:00 p.m. – Sunday, 10:00 a.m.

An opportunity for women to come to a quiet setting to celebrate God's presence reflected in the wonders of nature. A time to be attentive to God's presence in the midst of ordinary daily experiences on life's journey. Cost \$100 (Limit 8)

For further information or to make reservations, call Barb Gross at 563-336-8414 or olpretreat@gmail.com

Flood Victims

Just a reminder to any of you who were affected by the recent flooding that the last date to submit a claim with FEMA for damage in Iowa is August 25. After that time individuals will be on their own for help in recovery. Failing to file a claim may make individuals ineligible for other forms of assistance. If you would like more information please call the Diocese of Davenport and ask for Glenn Leach at 324-1911, ext 244.

Cinderella's Cellar Sale to Help Kahl Home

From August 25 to September 4, Cinderella's Cellar will have a half-price sale and from September 6 to September 11, they will have a \$5 bag sale. All proceeds go to the Kahl Home. Cinderella's Cellar is located at 230 W. 35th Street, Davenport.



FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Religious Education classes will begin **Sunday, September 14** for Grades Pre/K through 6. Classes for Grade 7-12 will begin **Wednesday, September 17**. Please call Susan at 285-4596 if you need more information or registration. The deadline for registering is August 25.

Volunteers are needed for catechist, classroom aides, and Faith Formation office aides. If you are interested in helping, please call Susan (Pre/K-6) or Julia (7-12) at 285-4596

A Catechist in-service will be held August 27 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in the Great Hall. Catechists and aides for all grade levels are asked to attend. Dinner will be served. If you are thinking about being a catechist you are welcome to join us and learn more about this years religious education program. We'll have a chance to get to know one another, and to discuss the expectations for the year. Please call Susan or Julia at 285-4596 if you have any questions.

Parish Festivals

St. Alphonsus Parish Festival in Davenport will be held on Saturday, September 6 from 5-9 p.m. They will be serving a Pork loin dinner from 5-7:30 p.m. The cost is \$6.00 for adults at \$3.00 for children 10 and under. They will have a concession stand, children's games, inflatable's, huge raffle, country store and entertainment. Everyone is invited!

St. Joseph Fall Festival in Dewitt will be held on Sunday, September 21. They will be serving a beef and pork dinner from 3:00 to 7:00 p.m. The cost is \$8.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children 6 to 10. They will have a raffle, bake sale, farmers market, bingo, silent auction, children's games, 3 on 3 basketball, a quilt raffle and much more.



St. Mary's Labor Day Celebration in Riverside, IA will be held on September 1. They will be serving Smoked Iowa Chop Dinner (\$9.00) and Chicken Breast Dinner (\$8.00) from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. They will have crafts, farmers market, games, kid's games, auction, a raffle, square dancing and more. Everyone is invited to enjoy the day.



The Adult Corner August 24, 2008

The Universal Declaration of Human Rights: A gathering of peoples from around the world at the United Nations declared that :1) All People are born free and equal and have equal rights; 2) Everyone should act as brothers and sisters; 3) Everyone has the right to personal safety; 4) No one can be some else's slave; 5) Everyone has the right to own property; 6) Everyone has the right to work for a fair wage; 7) Everyone has the right to an education; 8) People must show what they want their government to do by voting. These are a few of the points made in the document. Coming this November is our opportunity to show our government what we want. *Are you registered to vote?*

Theology on Tap Meets the Bishop: Young adults 21-39, married or single, keep Thursday, September 11 open for an opportunity to meet and talk with Bishop Amos. More information will be forthcoming in this column.

Why Worry? "Don't be afraid; just have faith": This may sound easier than it is for most of us. The book, *How to Handle Worry: A Catholic Approach* by Marshall J. Cook, looks into the idea of Christ healing us of all anxiety if we let him. Anyone interested in beginning a study based on this book is invited to sign up outside room 23 by September 15.

W e l c o m e

DON'T GET LOST! If you're new in our area or just have not taken the time to register, please fill in the form, drop it in the mail or the collection basket or bring it to the church office. **GOOD FEELING TO BELONG!**

If you are moving out of our parish or have a change of address, please fill in the form also, so we can keep our census listings accurate. Many thanks...

NAME: _____ ADDRESS: _____
CITY: _____ PHONE: _____
NEW _____ MOVING _____
CHANGE OF ADDRESS: _____
WELCOMING INFORMATION: _____
PREFERRED CONTACT HOURS: _____
MASS PREFERENCE TIME: _____