

ST. ANN

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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JUNE 15, 2008 ELEVENTH 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

Sacraments

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

St. Ann Staff

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Parish Council

Kelly Greenleaf, President	Brian Murphy
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Christine Cauwels	Jeff VanDeCastele
Andy Liske	Noreen Warren

Committee Chairs

Building and Grounds

Scott Youngbauer

Church Life/Family Life

Melissa Brimeyer

Liturgy

Joanna Riedel

Stewardship

Bill Briggs, 285-9724

Altar Server Coordinators

Sue Ferkel, 285-8091

Finance

Joe Ragona

Faith Formation

Maggie Liske

Social Action

Kurt Miller

Parish Nurse

Kathy Kinmonth, 285-2935

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: The Lord called out to Moses up at the mountain of Sinai.

Reading II: Christ proved his love for us by dying on the cross.

Gospel: Jesus sent his disciples to proclaim the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

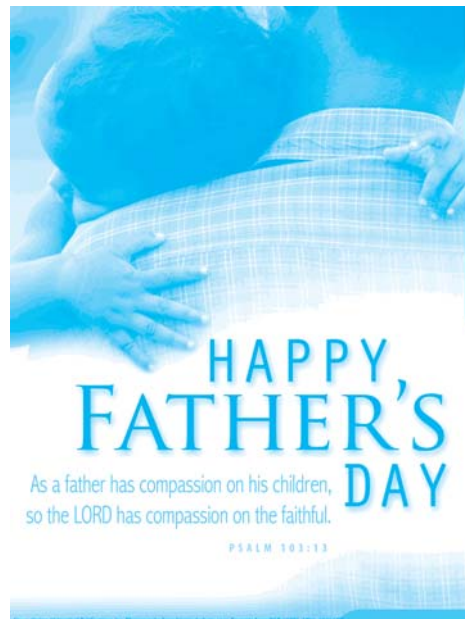
Adult: What can you do this week to proclaim God's love?

Children: How can you show your love for your parents this week?

Victim Assistance Coordinator to Report Abuse:

Alicia Owens

Phone: 563/349-5002





MASS INTENTIONS

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6/14 Sat	Phyllis Shannon	5:15 PM
6/15 Sun	People of the Parish	8:00 AM
6/15 Sun	Ralph Stillwell	10:30 AM
6/17 Tue	Carol Arpy	8:30 AM
6/18 Wed	Bernard Curran	8:30 AM
6/19 Thu	Nellie Crane	8:30 AM
6/20 Fri	Gene Santee	8:30 AM
6/21 Sat	Joe Leibold	5:15 PM
6/22 Sun	Bob Klostermann	8:00 AM
6/22 Sun	People of the Parish	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 6/8/08	\$5,429
*Under budget	(\$3,668)

Catholic Radio Stations

There are currently seven Catholic radio stations in the Diocese of Davenport: Clinton 92.5 FM, DeWitt 92.5 FM, Davenport 102.7 FM, Muscatine 105.3 FM, Burlington 98.3 FM, Fort Madison 99.9 FM and Iowa City 92.7 FM. Most of the current broadcasting is carrying programs from Relevant Radio Station www.relevantradio.com or from EWTN www.ewtn.com or a combination of both.

From the Parish Nurse

The parish nurse will be gone for the summer and then moving to Grinnell, IA in August. **If you are interested in being the volunteer parish nurse, please contact the office.** Parish nurse classes are provided by Trinity in the fall with free CEUs among other benefits.



Readings for this weekend:

Exodus 19:2-6a; Romans 5:6-11; Matthew 9:36-10:8

Readings for next weekend:

Jeremiah 20:10-13; Romans 5:12-15; Matthew 10:26-33

Upcoming Meetings at St. Ann

Admin Management on Thursdays at 9:15 AM
Stewardship meeting on Monday, June 23 at 7:00 PM

Catholic Radio

Tune in each week to Catholic Radio on 92.5 FM.

Committed to Freedom Retreat for Sexual Abuse Survivors

This weekend is for men and women who are survivors of childhood sexual abuse. The focus is on spiritual tools and strategic living to move beyond the abuse, not the abuse experience. The retreat will be held June 27 to 29 in Cedar Falls. Registration must be received by June 13. Forms are available at information@committedtofreedom.org or www.committedtofreedom.org or you can call 800-713-7837. Scholarships are available by contacting Hope and Healing Ministries at 877-896-HOPE, not Committed to Freedom.

Upcoming Protecting God's Children Sessions

6/17/08	St. Mary, Iowa City	6:30 PM
8/15/08	St. Vincent Center, Davenport	TBA
8/17/08	Assumption High School, Davenport	3:00 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

Happy Father's Day!

Happy Father's Day to all fathers! May your special day be truly blessed with love and support of family and friends.



Altar Serving Schedule

June 21 & 22, 2008

- 5:15— Cristina Keiran, Gus Newell
- 8:00— Elizabeth Ferry, Patrick Schwartzhoff
- 10:30— Cecelia & Arthur Behnke, Charles Weaver

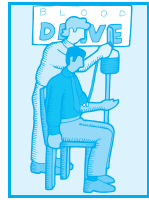
Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers Schedule

June 21 & 22, 2008

- 5:15— Lonnie Behnke, Dave Curlott, Karen Wyatt, Darlene Finnegan, Brian Murphy, Judy Loussaert, Ken Heintz
- 8:00— Betty Zimmer, Jerry Noel, Lorie Rathje, Rita & Carroll Vis, Nancy Shannon, Joe & Mary Gross
- 10:30— Becca Scott, Randy Scheetz, Sheila Hermsen, Maggie Liske, Tim Lane, Kelly Cole, Rob Borelli, Jayne Dierickx, Jeff Liske

Blood Drive – Save the Date

Mark the date now for the Blood Drive on Thursday, July 17 here at St. Ann’s. The last time to give blood was May 22.



North Scott Food Pantry

June needs for the North Scott Food Pantry are canned or boxed meals and powdered drinks. Keep in mind that children are home for the summer, any easy summer food items would be appreciated. Thank you for your continued generosity.

Celebrating 100th Year Anniversary

All former parishioners or classmates of St. Alphonsus Church are invited to help celebrate their 100th year anniversary on August 9th with a special Mass at 4:00 p.m. Following Mass they will have a social gathering with a walk down memory lane, food, drinks, music and friendship. If you would like further information please contact Dawn Shaw at 563-322-4487 or dshaw@valleyb.com.

Baptismal Welcome!

Carter Matthew the son of Kent & Jennifer Unwin was baptized on Saturday, June 7th. We welcome Carter into our spiritual family.



Do you have or know of a need for prayer?

If so, call one of our Prayer Support Line representatives: Bernie Leach at 391-5505; Vicki Gall at 285-4142 or Mary Lou Byrd at 285-6811.

Women’s Bible Study

The Women’s Bible Study will be starting a new Women of Faith Series books titled, “Resting in Him, I need to slow down, but I can’t.” The bible study group meets every Monday at 7:00 p.m. If you would like more information you can call Pat Jepsen at 285-8450 or Vicki Gall at 285-4142.

MONEY MATTERS

Automatic Deposits Available

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

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

Mission 2008 – Our team left Saturday, June 14 and will return Saturday, June 21. We will be working Monday, June 16, through Friday, June 20, with homes designated by Catholic Charities. Our work will be focused on hanging drywall, finishing trim and doing exterior painting on homes being rebuilt after Hurricane Katrina. Please keep the Mission 2008 Team and the people of the Gulf Coast in your prayers. Please continue to pray for the team and their work in New Orleans June 14 – June 21. Participating in this year’s mission experience are:

Kirstin Baker, Kelsey Schwager, Adrienne Zimmer, Nick Pacha, Matt Wolf, Kim Wolf, Michelle Hosch, Chris Henningsen, Matt Meyer, Nick Meyer, Stephen Liske, Ryan VanDeCastele, Sarah VanDeCastele, Collin Wilson, Katelyn Ploessl, Ben Brabant, J.J. Daters, Dave Sarafin, Dixie Baker, Mike Zimmer, Rita Pacha, Verl Meyer, Tom Arensdorf and Ann Mohr.

Six Flags Trip - All participants are reminded that medical releases are required to go on this trip. Extra forms are located outside the Youth Minister’s office or call Ann @ 285-4370. Postcards will be sent next week with final trip details.

Continuing Ed Scholarship - St. Ann’s will award one \$800 scholarship in August to a young person (ages 18-35) who is currently enrolled in college or trade institution who has been active in their Catholic faith. This involvement includes campus ministry programs, Catholic service opportunities or their local Catholic parish. Applicants are asked to complete a written essay (no more than 200 words) detailing their involvement. More info will be available in July, or email Ann @ amohr@stannslonggrove.org.

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Looking ahead...Important Dates for High School Youth Ministry

June 14-21 - Mission 2008

June 30 - Six Flags/Great America Trip

August 6 - Continuing Ed Scholarship applications are due

FAITH FORMATION

This Sunday, June 15, after the 10:30 Mass, we need help setting up for VBS. Many areas need to be “transformed” to work areas. Many hands make light work - so we would appreciate any help for about 1 hour after Mass. Perhaps you can’t commit to actually helping during the week of VBS but could help out on that Sunday.

VBS will be this week in the afternoon. The theme for this year is *Power Lab – Discovering Jesus’ Miraculous Power*. Elementary grades 1 - 5 (graduating Kind through 4th) will meet from 1:00 to 4:00 and Preschoolers will meet from 1:00 to 3:30. Last minute registrations will be accepted as long as there is room. If you have taken a supply coupon, please return the needed supplies ASAP. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, call Maggie at 285-9417 or Pat at 285-4389. Elementary age participants will gather at 1 pm in the church and be dismissed at 4 pm also from the church area. Preschool and kindergarten participants will gather in the foyer at 1 pm. They can be picked up in the foyer area at 3:30 pm or you may choose to attend the closing activities in the church (elementary session) with your Pre/K child. All crew leaders need to be at the church at 12:30 on Monday and 12:40 on Tuesday through Friday. Make sure to dress your children for fun and games (and craft time too). The service component of VBS this year will be a “Go-Ball”, a colorful soccer ball. Each crew will use one of these Go-Balls as their prayer focus throughout the week of VBS. At the end of the week, these 16 soccer balls (with the kids’ prayer messages) will be donated to the Big Brothers, Big Sisters in Davenport.

Business Owners, Professionals and Self Employed

Liturgical Publications, Inc (LPi), our bulletin publisher, will have Mike Anderson, our parish representative, visiting our parish within the next few weeks to service our bulletin. We would like to thank our present advertisers for renewing their ad and thereby continuing their support of our parish. **For those interested in placing a new ad, this is your opportunity.** As an added bonus, LPi has recently formed an advertisers buying group of 100,000+ businesses called LPi Family. Advertisers now can save more than the cost of an ad in buying group savings. Membership in the LPi Family buying group is **FREE** to all of our advertisers. To obtain information about advertising for the new publication year, please contact the parish office or call Mike directly at 1-800-950-9952 ext. 2612. Keep in mind; our advertising sponsors make your bulletin possible.

Three June Programs at Our Lady of the Prairie

1. SACRIFICE FOR CREATION

Wednesday, June 11, 9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Make a personal assessment of what it means to suffer for the sake of creation, why it is necessary, who should embrace it and why it is spiritually and ethically correct to do so. Cost: \$15 (includes lunch)

2. COME TO THE QUIET

Tuesday, June 24, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Set aside your hectic pace and routine to listen to the inner needs of your heart and soul. Enjoy the beauty and silence of a summer day. Spend time praying, meditating, reading, walking or just sitting in the quiet beauty of The Prairie. Cost: \$10 (includes lunch)

3. KNIT ONE, PRAY TOO!

Thursday, June 26, 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Join us as we create a prayer shawl, a scarf or a special gift for someone in need of comfort. We will knit together, pray together, share the “yarns” of our individual journeys and savor summer at The Prairie. Cost: \$15 (includes lunch)

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

Quad Cities Catholic Singles

The purpose of this organization is to provide a friendly setting for single Catholics to meet and develop friendships with people who share their faith. Membership is open to all men and women who meet the following requirements: A practicing Catholic, between 21 to 54 years of age, single and free to marry in the Catholic Church. There is also a program for men and women who are 55 and over, a practicing Catholic, single and free to marry in the Catholic Church. If you are divorced you must have an annulment. If you are divorced and are in the process of an annulment, you can be an associate member. For additional information on membership, dues, benefits and upcoming events you can email them at: qccatholicsingles@yahoo.com or call Sue at 309-764-5360 or Cathy at 309-797-1765. You can also visit their website at: http://www.webspawner.com/users/qccathsing55/index.html.

Thanks from Café of Vine

A big thank you to all of the generous St. Ann parishioners who helped to provide food, table items and/or helped to serve the meal at Café on Vine on June 1st. Your Christian Stewardship spirit helped, nourish the lives of many people. God bless you for your help with this important out reach.



Acting for Justice

“Home”work

June 15, 2008

Tell Me a Story

The National Conference of Catholic Bishops put together a wonderful book that belongs in every Catholic home: Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers. Among its many treasures, this book has a special blessing for fathers that can be used at dinner on Father’s Day.

In the gospels, we read how Jesus used parables to teach the people. Parables are stories that seem simple at first. But the more you think about them, the more you learn.

Our own fathers and all those who “father” us have parables to share. It is up to the Spirit working in us to help us understand that these stories are parables. They are lessons on the ways of heaven.

When you celebrate Father’s Day this year, ask your father or anyone who has been a father to you to share some special stories – especially about times when he really felt like a father. Then tell your father a story about the good things that he has done and how he has affected your life.

Take time to write down some of these stories. Be sure you do this in a notebook or diary or in something that is more sturdy than loose papers are. You can give your father these stories on the next Father’s Day, or on his birthday, or whenever you have them finished.

These “parables” can be a gift to your father that no necklace can rival.

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: _____