

# ST. ANN

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### JUNE 29, 2008 SOLEMNITY OF PETER AND PAUL

#### 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	285-4596	<a href="mailto:pastor@stannslonggrove.org">pastor@stannslonggrove.org</a>
Sally Schulz, Director of Music Ministries		<a href="mailto:sschulz@stannslonggrove.org">sschulz@stannslonggrove.org</a>
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#### Ministers of Faith Formation

Nursery, Pre/K: Pat Siemsen	<a href="mailto:psiemsen@stannslonggrove.org">psiemsen@stannslonggrove.org</a>	285-4389
Grades 1-8: Maggie Liske	<a href="mailto:mliske@stannslonggrove.org">mliske@stannslonggrove.org</a>	285-9417
Grades 9-12: Ann Mohr	<a href="mailto:amohr@stannslonggrove.org">amohr@stannslonggrove.org</a>	285-4370

#### Parish Council

Kelly Greenleaf, President	Brian Murphy
Melissa Brimeyer, Vice-President	John Selby
Inez Tobin, Secretary	Paul Rucker
Matt Buettner	Dave Sheridan
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: Jesus sent an angel to rescue Peter from the hands of King Herod and the Jewish people.

Reading II: The Lord stood by Paul and gave him strength so the proclamation might be completed.

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

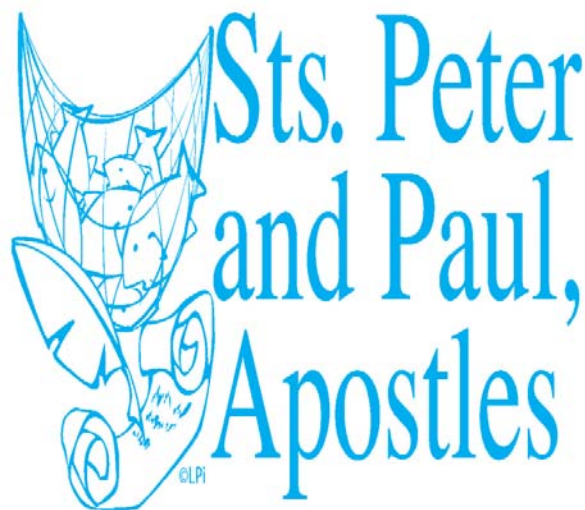
Adult: How can you help someone this week?

Children: What sign does God send you to assure you of his love?

#### Victim Assistance Coordinator to Report Abuse:

Alicia Owens

Phone: 563/349-5002





**MASS INTENTIONS**

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6/28 Sat	Paul & Juanita Betourne	5:15 PM
6/29 Sun	Brett Martin	8:00 AM
6/29 Sun	People of the Parish	10:30 AM
7/1 Tue	Living & Deceased Guild Members	8:30 AM
7/2 Wed	Gene Santee	8:30 AM
7/3 Thu	Shirley Loussaert	8:30 AM
7/4 Fri	Margaret Lindle	8:30AM
7/5 Sat	Ralph Wulf	5:15 PM
7/6 Sun	People of the Parish	8:00 AM
7/6 Sun	Mary Schwarz	10:30 AM

**FINANCES**

**PARISH INCOME NEEDS:**

Average Weekly Operating Needs	\$ 6,878
Average Weekly Depreciation Needs	\$ 1,642
Average Weekly Tithing Needs	\$ 577
<b>Total Weekly Average Needed</b>	<b>\$9,097</b>
Received 6/22/08	\$5,762
*Under budget	(\$3,335)

**Office Closed on Friday**

The office will be closed on Friday, July 4 in honor of Independence Day. The office will resume normal business hours on Monday.



**Men's Bible Study**

The Men's Bible Study will be moving back to Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m. starting June 23.

They are currently in the Gospel of John using a Navpress Study guide. If you have any questions or would like more information please contact Randy Scheetz at 285-5828.



**Father Ken Martin Golf Outing & Dinner**

Mark your calendar now for the 20th Anniversary of the Fr. Ken Martin Golf Outing & Dinner to be held September 3rd at Emeis Golf Course and the Davenport Elk's Club. A registration leaflet will be provided as an insert in one of our July bulletins. For information on becoming a golf outing sponsor in support of Catholic schools in Scott County, please contact Jim or Diane Tiedje at 563-391-2820.

**Readings for this weekend:**

Acts of the Apostles 12:1-11, 2 Timothy 4:6-8,17-18; Matthew 16:13-19

**Readings for next weekend:**

Zechariah 9:9-10, Romans 8:9,11-13, Matthew 11:25-30

**Upcoming Meetings at St. Ann**

Admin Management on Thursdays at 9:15 AM  
 Guild meeting on Tuesday, July 1 at 9:00 AM  
 Parish Council meeting on Tuesday, July 8 at 7:00 PM

**Catholic Radio**

Tune in each week to Catholic Radio on 92.5 FM.

**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.

**Upcoming Protecting God's Children Sessions**

8/15/08	Diocese of Davenport Chancery Office	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

**From the Building & Grounds Commission**

Volunteers are needed to help with the weeding of the flower beds, trimming and pruning of the trees and shrubs located on the church grounds on Saturday, July 12, 2008 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Please, bring your own gloves and tools as the Parish has a limited number of these items. If you have any questions or comments please, contact Scott Youngbauer at 285-6335 or any Commission member.



**Automatic Deposits Available**

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

**Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers Schedule**

July 5 & 6, 2008

5:15	Lora Dierickx, Kelly Greenleaf, Jennie McKenna, Ann & Rick Baughman, Tom Van DeVelde, Mike McKenna
8:00—	Jan Sebastian, Ann Mohr, Lois Nagle, Joe & Teresa Hintze, Chris & Kathy Henningsen, Judy Horsfield
10:30—	Mike/Jenny Hawley, Candy Reed, Maggie Miller, Elma Costello, Carol Farrey, Rita Pacha, Robert Gray, Kurt Miller, John Netwal

**Blood Drive— Save the Date**

Mark the date now for the Blood Drive on Thursday, July 17 here at St. Ann's. If you would like to schedule an appointment please call Judy Loussaert at 285-9269. The blood drive will run from 1:45 p.m. to 6:15 p.m. The last time to give blood was May 22.

**Lawn Social at Sugar Creek**

A lawn social will take place at St. Joseph Church on Sunday, July 13, with a beef and pork dinner served from 3-8p.m. Cost for adults is \$6.50 in advance and \$7 at the door. Cost is \$4 for children 6-12 and free for children 5 and younger. Carryout's are available. The Iowa Corn Fed Girls will provide music from 5:30-7:30 p.m. Games, prizes and a country store also will be featured. For advance tickets, call Elaine at 563-689-3105. The church address is 3218 110th Street, Preston, IA.

**New Food Pantry Collection**

Due to the economy and the recent flooding, there has been a significant growth of the number of families utilizing the North Scott Food Pantry. St. Ann's, Church and Family Life Committee wants to help replenish and fill the shelves of the pantry for those in need. Beginning this weekend after Communion, there will be another basket passed with small colored slips of paper containing a food item(s) that the Food Pantry normally stocks. Please take one slip of paper (or more if you wish), purchase that item(s), and bring it to Mass the following week and place it in the large basket located under the table where the hosts are counted out before Mass. We will be distributing these slips of paper on a monthly basis in hopes of keeping the Pantry shelves well-stocked. Thank you for your continued generosity!

**Thanks from the Maintenance Department**

Dwight Gittings would like to thank Maggie Liske, Pat Siemsen and all the volunteers who helped clean up after Vocation Bible Study last Friday, June 20. It much very much appreciated.

**YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS**

**Six Flags Trip** - All participants are reminded to be at Faith Lutheran Church in Eldridge on Monday, June 30 by 6:50 a.m. You will be returning around 9:00 pm. If you have any questions please call Ann @ 285-4370.

**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@stanslonggrove.org](mailto:amohr@stanslonggrove.org).

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

**June 30** - Six Flags/Great America Trip

**August 6** - Continuing Ed Scholarship applications are due

**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.

**VBS**

A special thank you to the many volunteers who helped make VBS a great success again this year. These many volunteers include all of you who took a coupon and donated an item, many who gave a cash donation, all of you who signed your children up and brought them each day, the over 50 youths who helped in various ways, and the 30 adults who gave their time and talents each day here during VBS week. And for all you parishioners who remembered us in your prayers. We had over 100 children participate and we had an explosive time - just ask one of the children who attended.

Each year VBS has a service component. This year our service component was a "Go-Ball" (or soccer ball). Each day at VBS the crew used this soccer ball to pray for and learn about children around the world (soccer is the most common sport played by children around the world. We spent special minutes each day learning about children in Haiti this year. These "Go-Balls" became the focus of our learning about Catholic Social Teaching. The children have written their prayers for the users on these balls. Please remember the recipients of these balls in your prayers as well. This year our 17 soccer balls will be donated to the Big Brothers, Big Sisters organization in Davenport.

Three July Programs at Our Lady of the Prairie

THE HEART OF THE MATTER IN SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

Monday, July 21, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

In spiritual direction, there are three important persons the self, the other and the Spirit. During this day of reflection they will focus on each of these persons. There will be a short amount of input and ample time for quiet reflection, sharing and questions. Cost: \$15 (includes lunch)

MATTHEW'S GOSPEL OF EMMANUEL, GOD-WITH-US

Wednesday, July 23, 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

They will explore such unique features as the Infancy Narrative, the Sermon on the Mount, the five discourses of Jesus, the miracles of Jesus and his death and resurrection. Bring your own Bible. Cost: \$15 (includes lunch)

CONVERSATIONS WITH GOD

Wednesday, July 30, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

They will take a look at what the Psalms are and how they came to be. They will also use the ancient practice of holy reading to deepen your experience with praying the Psalms. Cost: \$15 (includes lunch)

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

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Hearts to Harvest

(A Christian Response to World Hunger)

Have you been wondering if Hearts to Harvest has a growing plot this year? Well we're happy to say the answer to that question is Yes. Thanks to Doug & Mike Garner and Paul & Mike Dierickx the plot has been planted and looking good. The growing site is approx. 40 acres, (20 acres soybeans and 20 acres corn) NW of St. Ann's Church on 305th St.



The location of the plot is the same as 2007. So far a specific growing site has not been selected but the proceeds will be going to a FRB project in need. Hearts to Harvest would like to extend a thank you to everyone who has helped supported the past projects. The projects have been so blessed to have such a giving community. Anyone wishing to donate toward the project can mail or drop a donation off at First Central State Bank in Long Grove or Eldridge just be sure to have it marked Hearts to Harvest or you can also mail it to: First Central State Bank c/o Hearts to Harvest, 119 S. 1st St. Long Grove, IA 52756. Any questions please call Bob Braden at 285-9202.



Acting for Justice

"Home"work

June 29, 2008

Give Us This Day Our Daily Bread

Most people think about the harvest in autumn, especially around Thanksgiving. But the harvest begins now, in June. This is the time of year that the "amber waves of grain" – barley, wheat and oats – begin to ripen on the plains of North American and in the plains of Russia and the Ukraine, too.

The church celebrates the beginning of the harvest with the Solemnity of SS. Peter and Paul – apostles, missionaries and martyrs. These 2 saints are remembered together for beginning the "harvest of the church". We are all part of that harvest. We are God's grain.

St. Peter enjoys many popular customs, especially in fishing communities (Peter was a fisherman.) In many countries, there is a waterfront parade of newly painted and ribbon-bedecked boats. Of course, a lunch of seafood follows.

St. Paul might well be toasted with a glass of grape juice. He recommended it to Timothy in his epistle: "Take a little for your stomach's sake."

One way to remember both apostles on this day is to share a really special loaf of bread. Surprise someone with fresh bread today. Plan a family trip to watch those "amber waves of grain."

When grain is ready to harvest, rain or wind or hail can easily ruin it. Say a prayer for all who help in "bringing in the sheaves."

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...

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