

# ST. ANN

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### MAY 25, 2008 MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

#### 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

Fr. Thomas Parlette, Pastor  
Mary Gross, Office Manager/Bookkeeper  
Donna Metcalf, Secretary  
Dwight Gittings, Maintenance Manager

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#### Ministers of Faith Formation

Nursery, Pre/K: Pat Siemsen [psiemsen@stannslonggrove.org](mailto:psiemsen@stannslonggrove.org) 285-4389  
Grades 1-8: Maggie Liske [miske@stannslonggrove.org](mailto:miske@stannslonggrove.org) 285-9417  
Grades 9-12: Ann Mohr [amohr@stannslonggrove.org](mailto:amohr@stannslonggrove.org) 285-4370

#### Parish Council

Kelly Greenleaf, President  
Melissa Brimeyer, Vice-President  
Inez Tobin, Secretary  
Matt Buettner  
Christine Cauwels  
Andy Liske

Brian Murphy  
John Selby  
Paul Rucker  
Dave Sheridan  
Jeff VanDeCastele  
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  
Joe Ragona.....843-3893  
Jerry Noel.....285-8162  
Mary Ann Curran 285-8739

Judy Loussaert.....285-9269  
Randy Siemsen.....285-4389  
Fr. Thomas Parlette.....285-4596  
Lolita Dierickx 285-7242

#### Readings & Question for the Week



Reading I: The Lord tested us to see if we would keep his commandments.

Reading II: We are all one body, for we all partake of the one loaf.

Gospel: I am the living bread that came down from heaven, whoever eats this bread will live forever.

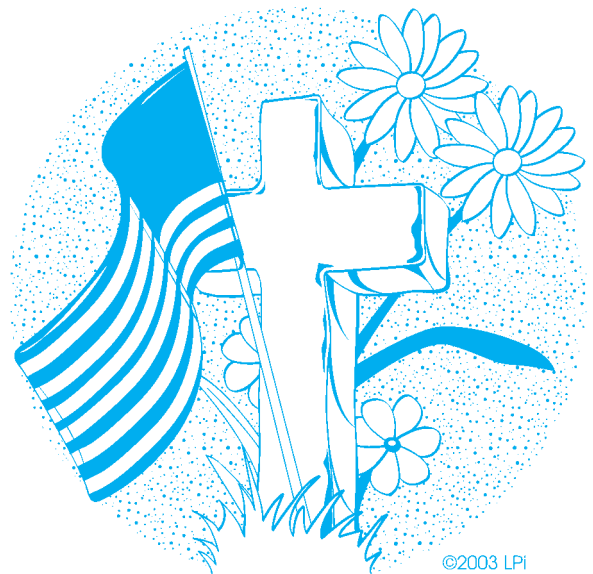
Adult: How can you help someone who is less fortunate than you?

Children: How will you help to feed the hungry?

#### Victim Assistance Coordinator to Report Abuse:

Alicia Owens

Phone: 563/349-5002



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**MASS INTENTIONS**

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5/24 Sat	Don Willis	5:15 PM
5/25 Sun	Phyllis Shannon	8:00 AM
5/25 Sun	People of the Parish	10:30 AM
5/26 Mon	<b>George, Veronica &amp; Mary Jo Ranson</b>	8:30 AM
5/28 Wed	Jim Cronkleton	8:30 AM
5/29 Thu	Susie Lindemann	8:30 AM
5/30 Fri	Brett Martin	8:30 AM
5/31 Sat	Gene Carstens	5:15 PM
6/1 Sun	People of the Parish	8:00 AM
6/1 Sun	Jimmy Panther	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 5/18/08	\$4,690
*under budget	(\$4,407)

**Bring Your Own Mug**

Help keep our landfills from being filled with styrofoam. Bring your own mug to church for beverages after Mass and at meetings. Take it home to clean and bring it back again. Each Mass and meetings during the months of April and May that you use your own mug, enter your name in a drawing for a special prize. Drawing to be held on June 1st.



**Annual Rummage Sale**

Our Lady of Victory's Ladies Council will be holding their annual Rummage Sale on Thursday & Friday, June 12 and 13 from 8:00 to 4:00 p.m. and on Saturday, June 14 from 8:00 to 12:00 p.m. The sale will be held in John F. Kennedy School located east of OLOV on West 42nd Street. Any questions, call 563-391-7266.

**Hope and Healing Ministries**

Hope and Healing Ministries, a ministry of the Diocese of Davenport, offers healing retreats, toll-free hotline, and counseling referrals to those, including family members, who are struggling with the emotional or spiritual pain of an abortion or sexual abuse. Find the healing you seek. For more information, call 1-877-896-HOPE or 563-322-1684. The email is [hopeandhealing@davenportdiocese.org](mailto:hopeandhealing@davenportdiocese.org) or [www.davenportdiocese.org/hopeandhealing](http://www.davenportdiocese.org/hopeandhealing).

**Readings for this weekend:**

Deuteronomy 8:2-3,14b-16a; 1 Corinthians 10:16-17; John 6:51

**Readings for next weekend:**

Deuteronomy 11:18, 26-28, 32; Romans:3:21-25, 28; Matthew 7:21-27

**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.

**Office Closed Memorial Day**

The office will be closed Monday, May 26, in honor of Memorial Day. Regular office hours will resume on Tuesday.



**Hope and Healing Ministries**

Hope and Healing Ministries (HHM), A Ministry of the Diocese of Davenport is sponsoring a Committed to Freedom weekend retreat for spiritual and emotional healing from sexual abuse for survivors and family. The retreat will be held in Cedar Falls the weekend of June 27-29, 2008. The retreat does not focus on the abuse experience, but on spiritual tools and strategic living to move beyond the abuse. For more information, to donate, or volunteer please call 563-322-1645, or email [hopeandhealing@davenportdiocese.org](mailto:hopeandhealing@davenportdiocese.org). Scholarships are available. You can also visit [www.committedtofreedom.org](http://www.committedtofreedom.org),

[www.davenportdiocese.org/hopeandhealing](http://www.davenportdiocese.org/hopeandhealing), or call a toll-free hotline at 1-877-896-HOPE.



**Mission Center Always Appreciates Donations**

The Mission Center helps provide free clothing and linens for those in need. Donations may be dropped off the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month from 10 AM to 12 Noon at the old St. Joseph's Rectory, 615 N. Marquette, Davenport. We appreciate donations such as usable socks, jeans, undergarments, blankets, linens, etc. Tax receipts are available. Contacts: Bonnie (326-3868) or Celene (445-1576).

**Altar Serving Schedule**

May 31 & June 1, 2008

- 5:15— Brett Ferkel, Elizabeth Ferry
- 8:00— Stephen Owings, Andrew Owings
- 10:30— Megan Sikorski, Charles Weaver

**Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers Schedule**

May 31 & June 1, 2008

- 5:15 Bev Heintz, Judy Shipman, Inez Tobin, Darlene Finnegan, Ken Heintz
- 8:00— Betty Zimmer, Jerry Noel, Lorie Rathje, Rita & Carroll Vis, Kathy Clasen, Joe & Mary Gross
- 10:30— Becca Scott, Randy Scheetz, Sheila Hermsen, Maggie Liske, Tim Lane, Kelly Cole, Rob Borelli, Jayne Dierickx, Jeff Liske

**Coordinators Appreciation Reception**



You are cordially invited to a coordinators appreciation reception for our Faith Formation Ministers; Ann Mohr, Maggie Liske and Pat Siemsen who have given so much of their time to our parish on Sunday, June 1 after the 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Mass.

**North Scott Food Pantry**

May needs for the North Scott Food Pantry are peanut butter and jelly and canned fruits. Summer hours remain the same which is every Tuesday from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. and every Friday morning from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.



**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.

**Vacation Bible Study**

Mark your calendars for this summer's VBS.



The theme for this year is *Power Lab - Discovering Jesus' Miraculous Power*. VBS will be the afternoon of the week of June 16 through June 20.

Elementary grades 1 - 5 (graduating Kind through 4<sup>th</sup>) will meet from 1:00 to 4:00 and Preschoolers will meet from 1:00 to 3:30. **Junior High and High School teens are needed as crew leaders and adults are needed for activity leaders.** Stop by the registration table for information, pre-registration, volunteer signup, and supplies needed. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, call Maggie at 285-9417 or Pat at 285-4389.

**MONEY MATTERS**

**Automatic Deposits Available**

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

**Catholic Messenger Goal**

For a parish our size, we are required to have a minimum of 323 subscriptions, for a total of \$7,106. Currently we have 138 subscriptions and \$3,448 going toward this diocesan newspaper.

**YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS**

**Congratulations, Graduates!**

Please congratulate the following members of St. Ann's as they graduate from North Scott High School:

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|------------------------|--------------------|
| Kirstin Baker          | Caitlin Nagle      |
| Brady Czupka           | Ashley Overmann    |
| Elizabeth Daley        | Nicholas Pacha     |
| Jacquelyn Daters       | Rachel Pffifner    |
| Nicholas Gansemer      | Justin Ramos       |
| Gabriella Green        | Claire Schneckloth |
| Ali Grolmus            | Seth Schoonover    |
| Stephany Harris        | Ali Schroeder      |
| Chantel Heidgerken     | Kelsey Schwager    |
| Christopher Henningsen | Brooks Smith       |
| Nicole Hyde            | Austin Suiter      |
| Chad Ihrig             | Michael Tuftee     |
| Dustin Leigh           | Kyle Williams      |
| Ian Macumber           | McKenzie Wilson    |
| Matthew Meyer          | Luke Wilson        |
| Cassie Michel          | Matthew Wolf       |

**Mission Teams Needs a Mini-Van** - The Mission 2008 Team is in need of another vehicle that seats six for our upcoming trip to New Orleans, June 14-21. If you can share a reliable vehicle with our team, please email Ann at [amohr@stannslonggrove.com](mailto:amohr@stannslonggrove.com) or call 295-4596. If you want to help, but don't have a vehicle to offer, the other alternative is assistance with underwriting the cost of a van rental. Please support our youth on this mission!

**Check out the kiosk for Summer Fun!!!** -

Senior high and junior high teens will be going to **Six Flags/Great America** on June 30. We're going to be joining up with our friends from Faith Lutheran in Eldridge for this trip. Great America now has a waterpark AND theme park to enjoy. Space is limited, so it's first come, first serve.

**Catholics in Action** - is the annual Diocesan Service Retreat. The dates this year are Sunday, June 22 through Tuesday, June 24 in Riverside. Teens, this is your chance to do service for our local communities and have some fun with other teens from the Diocese. Catholics in Action is open to all incoming and current high school teens. Teens are sent out as parish teams to serve at dozens of agencies in the central part of our diocese. More information can be found at [www.davenportyouth.org](http://www.davenportyouth.org). or call Ann (285-4370 for more info. Adult leaders are needed.

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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

**Pre/K Faith Formation Survey**

The survey concerning the type of Pre/K Faith Formation program to meet the needs of parish families has been completed. There were a total of 43 responses, and 28 supported the current program during the 10:30 Mass. Four favored Liturgy of the Word, and five had no preference between the current program and Liturgy of the Word. Two showed an interest in Kindergartners attending classes on Sunday morning at the same time as the Elementary children, and three more would like the entire program to meet at the same time as the Elementary children. Unfortunately, there is insufficient classroom space for the Pre-K's and the Elementary children to convene at the same time. As a result, the current Faith Formation program for the Pre/K children will continue when classes resume in the fall. Thank you to all who took the time to participate in the survey.

**Nursery Survey**

A separate questionnaire was developed to determine the level of interest among families with young children in using the nursery during weekend Masses. There were twelve responses, but five had no interest. Five indicated an interest as well as a willingness to take a turn in helping to staff the nursery during the various Masses. One expressed an interest but did not offer to help, and one requested availability of the nursery during the adult Faith Formation sessions. Three helpers must be on site for proper supervision of the children, so more volunteers are needed for the nursery to function. Any adult who has attended the "Protecting God's Children," program, high school student, or junior high student may help. Please call Donna in the parish office at 285-4596 if you have questions or wish to volunteer. Thank you.



**Volunteers need for Café on Vine**

St. Ann's Parish will be serving a meal at Café on Vine on Sunday, June 2nd at 4:30 pm. There is a sign up sheet on the kiosk to donate food and needed meal items. Drop these off in the kitchen by 1:00 p.m. on Sunday. Five to eight servers are needed (new guidelines say must be over 12 years old). Please show your stewardship spirit by sharing with the poor and helping with this important outreach. Contact Maggie Miller at 285-5681 with any questions.



**Acting for Justice**  
**"Body & Blood of Christ"**  
 May 25, 2008

*Eucharist – means Thanksgiving*

*As Catholics we are thankful that Jesus is present with us in the Bread and Wine, in the Holy Scriptures, and in the people present at the Mass.*

**Live the Mass**

Make Sunday Mass a special time for your family. Here are some ways;

- Practice the Mass responses.
- Discuss the Scripture readings ahead of time.
- After Mass, talk about the main point of the homily.
- Plan ways to love and serve the Lord all week long.

*Sister Angela lived in Italy. She taught little girls. At that time, only rich children could go to school. Sister Angela changed that. She and her friends began teaching girls who were poor. She wanted the girls to be good mothers who told their children about God.*

Angela's Community of St. Ursula, or the Ursulines, was the first religious women to work outside the cloister. It was the first teaching order of women.



Church of the Home

**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: \_\_\_\_\_