

ST. ANN

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OCTOBER 30, 2011 THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"As for you, do not be called 'Rabbi.' You have but one teacher, and you are all brothers. Call no one on earth your father; you have but one Father in heaven. Do not be called 'Master,' you have but one master, the Christ. The greatest among you must be your servant."

Matthew 23:6-11

Victim Assistance Coordinator to Report Abuse:
Alicia Owens
Phone: 563/349-5002

31ST 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

4:30 PM

Sunday

8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

Weekday Prayer and Mass Schedule

Tuesdays — Fridays: Mass

8:30 AM

Reconciliation

Saturday

3:45 PM to 4:15 PM

Sacraments

8 months in advance preparation is needed for marriage. Please call the office for assistance.

St. Ann Staff

Msgr. Drake Shafer, Pastor
Sally Schulz, Director of Music Ministries
Mary Gross, Office Manager/Bookkeeper
Donna Metcalf, Secretary
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Parish Council

Paul Hayungs, President
Kelly Cole, Vice President
Matt Wilson, Secretary
Bryan Arensdorff
Bill Bolton
Bill Briggs
Marc Carlson

Jeremiah Costello
Katie Lane (student)
Nancy Lane
Julie Newell
Rita Pacha
Diana Vollbeer
Drew Wilson (student)

Committee Chairs

Building and Grounds

Scott Youngbauer

Church Life/Family Life

Bryan Arensdorff

Liturgy

Jeremiah Costello

Stewardship

Bill Briggs

Altar Server Coordinators

Julie Newell 285-6498

Finance

Joe Ragona

Faith Formation

Kelly Cole

Social Action

Kurt Miller

Guild

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Administrative Management Team

Loras Schafer.....285-4663
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Jerry Noel.....285-8162
Mary Ann Curran.....285-8739

Randy Siemsen.....285-4389
Msgr. Drake Shafer.....285-4596
Lolita Dierickx.....285-7242
Julie Newell.....285-6498



MASS INTENTIONS

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10/29 Sat	Art & Margaret Borgonjon	4:30 PM
10/30 Sun	People of the Parish	8:00 AM
10/30 Sun	Deb Meyer	10:30 AM
11/1 Tue	Living & Deceased Guild Members	8:30 AM
11/2 Wed	Elmer Hermsen	8:30 AM
11/3 Thu	Josh Arp	8:30 AM
11/4 Fri	Eileen Ewers	8:30 AM
11/5 Sat	Felix Claeys	4:30 PM
11/6 Sun	Mario Schwartzhoff	8:00 AM
11/6 Sun	People of the Parish	10:30 AM

FINANCES

PARISH INCOME NEEDS:

Budget for fiscal year 2010-2011	\$532,500
Projected income divided by 52 weeks =	\$10,240
Average Weekly Operating Needs	\$10,240
Received 10/23	\$6,487
Under budget	\$3,753

All Saints/All Souls Day

The Solemnity of All Saints, November 1 falls on a Tuesday this year, and is therefore a Holy Day of obligation. Mass will be on Tuesday, at 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. On Wednesday, November 2, the Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed is observed. There will be Mass at 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Please remember to enroll your deceased loved ones and/or friends in the book by the baptismal font.

Thank You from the Knights of Columbus

The K of C's would like to thank everybody who helped and/or attended the breakfast on Sunday, October 16.



Do you have or know of a need for prayer?

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

Readings for this weekend:

Malachi 1:14b-2:2b, 8-10, 1 Thessalonians 2:7b-9, 13, Matthew 23:1-12

Readings for next weekend:

Wisdom 6:12-16, 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18, Matthew 25:1-13

Upcoming Meetings at St. Ann

- Guild meeting on Tuesday, November 1 at 9:15 AM
- Admin meeting on Thursday, November 3 at 9:15 AM
- Stewardship meeting on Tuesday, November 8 at 6:15 PM
- Parish Council meeting on Tuesday, November 8 at 7:00 PM
- K of C meeting on Wednesday, November 16 at 7:00 PM

Free Portable Basketball Hoop

The Parish has a portable basketball hoop, that it no longer has a use for. We are offering the equipment free of charge to any individual or organization who may have a use for it. The hoop is currently being stored on the west wall of the maintenance build, located north of the Parish kitchen and can be picked up at this location. It is our goal to have this equipment removed from the property by mid-November. If you have any questions or need help with loading, please contact Scott Youngbauer at 285-6335.

Newly Baptized

Through the waters of Baptism we welcome Ava Marlene Lindle, the daughter of Brent & Amber Lindle and Christopher Joseph Loussaert, the son of Tom & Jodi Loussaert into our spiritual family. Ava and Christopher were baptized on Sunday, October 23.



Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers Schedule

November 1, 2011
Feast of All Saints

- 8:30 Morning Group
- 7:00 Betty Zimmer, Chris Green

November 5 & 6, 2011

- 4:30- Bev Heintz, Michael Haas, Ken Heintz, Jennie McKenna, Arnie & Mary Wieser, Rhonda & Dan Elskamp, Mike McKenna
- 8:00- Chris Green, Randy Denner, Jan Sebastian, Darla Zrostlik, Pat Limberg, Mike Zimmer, Jim Zimmer, Betty Zimmer
- 10:30 - Candy Reed, Al Rus, Vard Marguglio, Tim Lane, Mary Schmidt, Carol Ferry, Bill Briggs

Cemetery Decoration Notice

All summer decorations in the cemetery need to be removed by November 15 per cemetery policy guidelines. New decorations may be placed back on the graves after November 30.

Mass Change

Beginning **Saturday, November 12** we will begin Mass at **4:00 p.m.** Confessions on Saturday evening will be from 3:15 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. **Daylight Savings time will begin on Sunday, November 6.**



Remember to change your clock back one hour.

Bulletin Deadline

The deadline for the November 20 bulletin is due by Friday, November 11 and the deadline for the November 27 bulletin is due by Thursday, November 17 due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

Upcoming Bazaar's

The following are upcoming bazaar's:
Calvary United Methodist Church, Walcott will be having their 9th annual "Heaven Sent" bazaar on Friday, November 4 from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. with a spaghetti dinner, crafts and homemade goodies.

Our Lady of Victory presents Christmas Carousel Bazaar on Saturday, November 5 from 8:00 to 4:00 p.m. and Sunday, November 6 from 9:00 to 1:00 p.m. They will have a bake & candy shop hand-crafted items and much more.

St. Alphonsus will be holding a craft show & luncheon on Saturday, November 12 from 9:00 to 4:00 p.m. and Sunday, November 13 from 9:00 to 1:00 p.m.

St. Mary's Annual Bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 12 from 10:00 to 3:00 p.m. Luncheon from 11:00 to 1:00 p.m. Cost \$6.00. On Sunday, November 13 from 8:30 to 12:30 p.m. there will be a Authentic Mexican breakfast. Cost \$6.00. There will also be bake sale and raffle.

The Adult Corner

Question of the week - 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A - (Do As He Says)

First Reading: Malachi 1:14b–2:2b, 8–10 (Do not separate)

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 2:7b–9, 13 (Total Self-giving)

Gospel: Matthew 23:1–12 (Be Humble)

Adults: What would it take for me to look at my religious commitments, with honesty? What would foster that?

Children: How can I make sure that I do what God's will and not mine?

Pope Warns of 'Virtuality' Overtaking 'Reality'

Human beings need to "expose themselves to reality," says Benedict XVI. And he encouraged silence and solitude as a way to do this. The Holy Father noted that in today's world, media has developed to such a point that 'virtuality' "risks getting the upper hand over reality."

In a world where people are immersed in an audio and visual dimension from morning till night, the youngest "seem to want to fill every empty moment with music and images," he said, adding that it's almost as if they fear the "emptiness" of silence and solitude. The Bishop of Rome suggested this trend has reached such a level as "to give rise to talk about anthropological mutation. Some people are no longer capable of remaining for long periods in silence and solitude."



In this context, he said the monastery is a "precious gift for the Church and for the world, a gift that contains a deep message for our life and for the whole of humanity. I shall sum it up like this. By withdrawing into silence and solitude, human beings, so to speak, 'expose' themselves to reality in their nakedness, to that apparent 'void,' which I mentioned at the outset, in order to experience instead Fullness, the presence of God."

Workshop for all Parishioners at St. Patrick Church in Iowa City

The following will be held on Sunday, November 20:

Creating More Welcoming Parishes will be held from 1 to 4:00 p.m. Hospitality is manifested in an open and welcoming spirit, a willingness to drop what we are doing and receive the other person when they need us.

Spirituality During Times of Change will be held from 5 to 8:00 p.m. Change is accelerating for both the church and society at breathtaking speed.

Optional Light Supper will be from 4 to 5:00 p.m. (\$7.00 payable at the door.)

To register call Laurie Hoefling at 888-4220 by Monday, November 14.

YOUTH MINISTRY

[St. Ann's Youth Ministry](#) is on facebook! Add [Stan Longgrove](#) as your friend to be updated on all the latest Youth Ministry news!

Clarke University Diocesan Award

Clarke University, Dubuque is pleased to announce the Diocesan Award which gives one, \$1,000 renewable scholarship to one new full-time daytime undergraduate freshman or transfer student from each parish in the Davenport Diocese. Please contact the parish office by February 1 for more information. You can visit their website at www.clarke.edu to learn more about Clarke University.

2nd Annual Peace Concert in Clinton

Gratitude source of peace, is the theme for this year's ecumenical Peace Concert at Zion Lutheran Church, 439-3rd Ave. So., Clinton, on Sunday afternoon, October 30, beginning at 3 pm. The annual event is co-sponsored by the Clinton Franciscan Center for Active Nonviolence and Peacemaking and Zion Lutheran Church. Musicians from six area congregations including Zion Lutheran; Faith Lutheran, Andover; Prince of Peace Catholic; St. Paul Lutheran; Unity Center and the Sisters of St. Francis will be participating in this year's concert which will feature voice and bell choirs from three different churches and a massed choir directed by Dr. Michael Zemek, Assistant Professor of choral music education at Augustana College, Rock Island, Ill. The Peace Concert is free and open to the public. A social in the Church Hall will follow.

An "Encounter with God's Call:

This retreat will be held November 12-14 at Conception Seminary College in Missouri. Young men considering a possible call to the priesthood are welcome to spend a weekend geared toward helping them with their vocational discernment. They will interact with and hear a series of talks by the seminarians of Conception Seminary College. Participants are able to experience the seminarian's daily routine and gain a fuller understanding of what life as a seminarian entails. For more information or to register online visit www.conception.edu/vocations or contact Fr. Thom Hennen at 563-888-4255.

FAITH FORMATION

Faith Formation, Grades Pre-K - 6

The Faith Formation program is looking for some blankets that they can use for dismissal of the students on Sunday mornings! We are in need of about 12 of them, with the weather getting colder I would like the students to be able to sit on something rather than the cold floor. We take this opportunity to pray together at the end of our time together. You may bring them to the education wing and put them in the window and mark them attention Joyce. Thank you so much for sharing!

Coffee & Faith Café/First Friday Session

The **First Friday** session will be on Friday, November 4 after the 8:30 a.m. Mass. The **Coffee & Faith Café** will be held on Sunday, November 6, 13 & 27. There will be no Coffee & Faith Café on Sunday, November 20. The **Book Study** group will meet on Tuesday, November 15 at 7:00 p.m. **Adult Faith Formation** will be held on Wednesday, November 2, 9, 16 & 30 beginning at 7:00 p.m.



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: _____