

ST. ANN

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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AUGUST 7, 2011 NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



But when he saw how strong the wind was he became frightened; and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord save me!" Immediately Jesus stretched out his hand and caught Peter, and said to him, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?"

Matthew 14:30-31

Victim Assistance Coordinator to Report Abuse:
Alicia Owens
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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
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Parish Council

Paul Hayungs, President
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 Bill Bolton
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 Nancy Lane
 Julie Newell
 Rita Pacha
 Diana Vollbeer
 Drew Wilson (student)

Committee Chairs

Building and Grounds
 Scott Youngbauer
Church Life/Family Life

Finance
 Joe Ragona
Faith Formation

Liturgy
 Jeremiah Costello
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 Kurt Miller
Guild
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 Julie Newell 285-6498

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Loras Schafer.....285-4663
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 Lolita Dierickx.....285-7242
 Julie Newell.....285-6498



MASS INTENTIONS

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8/6	Sat	Ralph & Bernice Wulf	4:30 PM
8/7	Sun	Eileen Ewers	8:00 AM
8/7	Sun	People of the Parish	10:30 AM
8/9	Tues	No Mass	8:30 AM
8/10	Wed	No Mass	8:30 AM
8/11	Thu	No Mass	8:30 AM
8/12	Fri	No Mass	8:30 AM
8/13	Sat	Pat & Dorothy Phelan	4:30 PM
8/14	Sun	People of the Parish	8:00 AM
8/14	Sun	Deb Meyer	10:30 AM

FINANCES

PARISH INCOME NEEDS:

Budget for fiscal year 2010-2011	\$515,022
Projected income divided by 52 weeks =	\$9,904
Average Weekly Operating Needs	\$9,904
Received 7/31	\$5,634
*under budget	(\$4,270)

Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive

The K of C's will be having their annual tootsie roll drive on the following dates & locations:

August 18 at North Scott Foods

August 19 at North Scott Food, Casey's (Eldridge) & Quick Shop (Parkview)

August 20 at North Scott Foods

August 20 & 21 at all Masses at St. Ann's Church.

The money raised will support the special needs program.

Out of the Office

Msgr. Shafer will be out of the office beginning Sunday afternoon, August 7 and will return Saturday morning, August 13. If there is an emergency please call the church office.

CEW Renewal

The CEW Renewal will be Sunday, August 14 at Scott County Park (across from the pool) beginning at 1:00 p.m. Bring your own beverage, table service and a dish to pass. Meat will be provided. If you have any questions, please call Rhonda Elskamp at 386-4099.

Readings for this weekend:

1 Kings 19:9a, 11-13a, Romans 9:1-5, Matthew 14:22-23

Readings for next weekend:

Isaiah 56:1, 6-7, Romans 11:13-15, 29-32, Matthew 15:21-28

Upcoming Meetings at St. Ann

Building & Grounds meeting on Tuesday, August 9 at 6:00 PM

Parish Council meeting on Tuesday, August 9 at 7:00 PM

Finance meeting on Tuesday, August 16 at 7:00 PM

K of C meeting on Wednesday, August 17 at 7:00 PM

August Program at Our Lady of the Prairie Retreat

1. *Becoming a Servant Leader*

Tuesday, August 9, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

This retreat will involve participants in a reflective, prayerful and interactive process of exploring what servant leadership is, why it works and how a person can become a servant leader. Each participant will receive a free, signed copy of the presenter's book on servant leadership. Cost \$15 (includes lunch).

2. *Creating Ritual in our Lives*

Friday, August 19, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

What constitutes ritual? What is the role and meaning of ritual in our lives. This day will offer an opportunity to explore, identify, consider, develop and shape original experiences of ritual to meet specific needs. Cost is \$15 (includes lunch)

3. *The Autumn Time of Life*

Wednesday, August 31, 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

This day is designed for persons to come together to share the newness of retirement, the struggles with letting go, the search for who I am now with family, friends & God. Cost is \$15 (includes lunch).

For further information or to make reservations, contact OLPR office at 563-336-8414 or olpretreat@gmail.com.

Altar Serving Schedule

August 13 & 14, 2011

4:30— Maddie & Ben Kroeger

8:00— Need volunteers

10:30— Isobel & Helena LaCorte, Kyrnan Liske

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers Schedule

August 13 & 14, 2011

4:30- Judy Shipman, Lonnie Behnke, Rhonda Elskamp, Mike & Jennie McKenna, Pat & Lora Dierickx, Dan Elskamp

8:00- Betty Zimmer, Chris Green, Dave Zimmer, Rita Pacha, Lorie Rathje, Mike Zimmer, Kathy Clasen, Pat Limberg

10:30- Angelika Peiffer, Candy Reed, Elma Costello, Carol Farrey, Sheila Hermsen, Paul & Joanna Riedel, Randy Scheetz

Backpack Blessing

Calling students of all ages (Pre-school to college) to bring your backpacks to church the weekend of August 13 & 14 for a special blessing for the students and also the teachers of our parish who will be starting school and Faith Formation classes soon.

Silent Saturday

Silent Saturday will be held Saturday, August 13 at the Humility of Mary Center (820 Central Park Ave, Davenport) from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. These are half-day silent mini-retreats. There will be two centering prayer sessions, a silent break and closing with Lectio Divina. Everyone is welcome to attend. If you have any questions please call Lolita at 285-7242.

50th Wedding Anniversary Diocesan Mass

The 50th Wedding Anniversary Mass will be held at St. Mary's Church in Pella, IA on Sunday October 9 at 2:00 p.m. All couples married in 1961 (or for those people who were unable to attend last year's celebration) are invited to attend. Couples are to register with their parish. Parish reservations are due by August 9.

North Scott Food Pantry Needs

The North Scott Food Pantry's new location will be at Faith Lutheran Church in Eldridge. The former preschool rooms in the basement will house the pantry stock and office. Official moving date is Saturday, August 6th. The Pantry will be closed Friday, August 5th and will be open at the new location for regular Tuesday evening hours on August 9th. We think the customers will appreciate the spaciousness of the new location and the fact that the entrance is discreet. We are relieved that the new location means only one move for long term purposes. **August needs are the donors' choice.**

Welcome New Members

We welcome Ed & Mindy Leahy and their children, Paul & Kraig to St. Ann Parish. We're glad you're here!

The Adult Corner

Question of the Week

For the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"...he went up on the mountain by himself to pray." Where is your favorite place to pray? Where is your favorite place to pray alone? What is it about a mountain top that is conducive to praying alone? What are the similarities between your place to pray alone and a mountaintop? What value do you find in praying alone? When do you find it necessary to pray alone? What do you feel are the benefits of praying alone? Do you see a relationship with Jesus' decision to pray alone and the subsequent encounter with Jesus and Peter on the water?

Eleven lessons from Nelson Mandela

On July 18 we celebrated living legend Nelson Mandela's birthday.



Looking back on his 93 years, there are 11 lessons (from many) that David Crane wrote about for ODE wire. Here are the eleven lessons from his legacy which may help us make a small but positive mark in our society. You can read more about each lesson at [Nelson Mandela \(http://tiny.cc/9wpwpw\)](http://tiny.cc/9wpwpw).

Determination in fighting for the right thing.

Never sell out on your beliefs.

Be ready to change your tactics.

Know the facts.

Admit our mistakes.

Reconcile with your enemies.

Sharing with others.

Lead from the front.

Letting go.

Smile.

Serve humbly.



We believe that if we applied these lessons, we would make the world a better place and for that he prays that God may bless Mandela and give him many more years to be inspire us. If you have not seen the movie, *Invictus*, it is well worth your time. You can watch the trailer at <http://www.imdb.com/video/imdb/vi1889666329>.

**Faith Infusion will begin on Wednesday, August 31 at 7:00 p.m.
The first session will be "The Lord Be with You"**

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!

Returning College Students from St. Ann's are invited to apply for the Dorothy Boeding Memorial Scholarship for the 2011-2012 school year. An award will be given to an applicant that meets the following qualifications: 1- Have completed a year or more of college. 2- Are an active member of St. Ann's. 3- Plan on continuing their education this fall. Applicants must submit an essay (250 words or less) showing how they have been active in their Catholic Faith while attending school and also how their faith has impacted their life. Please list specific St. Ann's activities that you have been involved in during your college career. Essays were due by July 31st and will be awarded at the "Backpack Blessing" Mass in August.

Faith Formation classes for 7th thru 12th grade will begin on Wednesday, August 24 starting at 7:00 p.m.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Looking for a new way to let your spouse know you love them in the midst of your jobs, carpooling the kids, and trying to keep up with your house, pool, and yard? Tell him or her they're still #1 in your life ... share a Marriage Encounter Weekend with each other. The next weekend is in Ankeny on October 7 to 9. To register or for more information contact Roger & Marsha at 563-927-4352. Please register 6 weeks in advance. Visit <http://www.iowawwme.org> for more information.

Fresh Start Benefit Sale

Humility of Mary Housing is preparing for its annual Fresh Start Benefit Sale to be held August 16-19. We are accepting donations of lightly used household items including furniture and appliances... no clothes please. Items can be dropped off Monday's, Thursday's and Saturday's from 9 to 3 through August. The drop off location for these items is 313 W. Kimberly Road. Proceeds from the Fresh Start sale directly benefits single-parent families experiencing homelessness.

FAITH FORMATION

Faith Formation, Grades Pre-K - 6

Faith Formation begins Sunday, August 28 for grades Pre K thru 6th grade.

Registration for elementary and youths will take place this weekend and next weekend, August 13 & 14 along with registration for adult bible study and book club.

We are recruiting Catechist for the upcoming school year. We also need substitutes, aides, and other volunteers. If you are able to help out please contact Joyce or Julia at 285-4596.

With a new school year approaching Faith Formation will be starting soon. I would like to know who has a teacher's manual. If you taught last year and will be teaching again this year just e-mail me at jkloft@stannslonggrove.org or call me at 285-4596 to let me know. If you are not planning to teach next year, please also let me know but be so kind to return the teacher's manual so I can pass it along to those who will be teaching. I look forward to meeting all of you and to guide you through this year of a strong Faith Formation Program.

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: _____