

ST. ANN

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OCTOBER 3, 2010 TWENTY-SEVENTH 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.

2 months in advance for a Baptism.

St. Ann Staff

Mmgr. Drake Shafer, Pastor
 Sally Schulz, Director of Music Ministries
 Mary Gross, Office Manager/Bookkeeper
 Donna Metcalf, Secretary
 Dwight Gittings, Maintenance Manager

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Ministers of Faith Formation

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Parish Council

Jeremiah Costello, President	Paul Hayungs
Christine Cauwels, Vice-President	Nancy Lane
Kelly Cole, Secretary	Brian Murphy
Bill Bolton	Julie Newell
Bill Briggs	Jeff VanDeCastele
Richard Collins	Diana Vollbeer

Committee Chairs

Building and Grounds

Scott Youngbauer

Church Life/Family Life

Ann Mohr

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

Celeste Murphy

Deb Sikorski, 285-8460

Administrative Management Team

Loras Schafer.....285-4663	Randy Siemsen.....285-4389
Joe Ragona.....349-9272	Mmgr. Drake Shafer.....285-4596
Jerry Noel.....285-8162	Lolita Dierickx.....285-7242
Mary Ann Curran.....285-8739	Julie Newell.....285-6498



"When you have DONE all you have been COMMANDED, say, 'We are UNPROFITABLE servants; we have DONE what we were OBLIGED to do.'"

Luke 17:10

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

27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME





MASS INTENTIONS

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10/2	Sat	Miriam Leinen	4:30 PM
10/3	Sun	Lavern Noel	8:00 AM
10/3	Sun	People of the Parish	10:30 AM
10/5	Tues	Living & Deceased Guild Members	8:30 AM
10/6	Wed	Catholic Radio	8:30 AM
10/7	Thu	LeRoy Strobbe	8:30 AM
10/8	Fri	Brett Martin	8:30 AM
10/9	Sat	John Ven Horst	4:30 PM
10/10	Sun	People of the Parish	8:00 AM
10/10	Sun	Gladys Sheridan	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 9/26	\$8,284
Under budget	(\$1,620)

Parish Italian Dinner

St. Ann's is hosting a parish fundraiser on Friday, October 22 beginning at 6:00 p.m. This parish event will consist of a 5-course Italian dinner being made by Msgr. Shafer & Joe Ragona. The cost is \$25 per person. Reservations will be required. Tickets will be available after Mass or by calling the church office. Deadline for reservations is Monday, October 18.



Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"So do not be ashamed of your testimony to our Lord." Does your Marriage Sacrament witness the Sign of God's love? Let Worldwide Marriage Encounter give you tools to increase your sacramental sign. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is in Des Moines, Iowa Oct. 15th to 17th, 2010. To register or for more information contact Roger and Marsha Luensmann at 563-927-4352. Visit <http://www.iowa-wwme.org> for more information.

Readings for this weekend:

Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4, 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14, Luke 17:5-10

Readings for next weekend:

2 Kings 5:14-17, 2 Timothy 2:8-13, Luke 17:11-19

Upcoming Meetings at St. Ann

- Guild meeting on Tuesday, October 5 at 9:00 AM
- Stewardship meeting on Tuesday, October 5 at 7:00 PM
- Building & Grounds meeting on Tuesday, October 12 at 7:00 PM
- Admin meeting on Thursday, October 14 at 9:15 AM
- Finance meeting on Monday, October 18 at 7:00 PM

St. Ann's 25th Anniversary

The 25th Anniversary of St. Ann's Church will be celebrated the weekend of October 23 & 24. Church Life/Family Life will be doing a display of photos and/or memorabilia of "then and now." If you have any past or present pictures that they could use for the display please put them in Ann Mohr's mailbox addressed to Cindy Wolf. Please make sure you put your name on the picture so they can be returned. If you have any questions, please call the church office.

Flu Shots

Walgreens will be offering flu & pneumonia shots at the Eldridge Civic Center on Wednesday, October 6 from 3:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. This shot is covered by Medicare Part B and Medicaid. Checks & credit card are accepted.



Altar Serving Schedule

October 9 & 10, 2010

- 4:30 — Gus Newell, Brooke & Casey Downing
- 8:00 — Vivian & Olivia McDermott, Nicholas Peiffer
- 10:30 — Maddy Kroeger, Charlie Schlichting, Megan Sikorski

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers Schedule

October 9 & 10, 2010

- 4:30 — Bev Heintz, Ken Heintz, Karen Wyatt, Rhonda & Dan Elskamp, Peggy Dean, Darlene Finnegan, Tom VanDeVelde
- 8:00 — Jerry Noel, Betty Zimmer, Connie Noel, Rita Pacha, Mike Zimmer Joe & Mary Gross, Nancy Shannon
- 10:30 — Kelly Cole, Candy Reed, Kurt Miller, Jeff & Maggie Liske, Bill Briggs, John Netwal, Maggie Miller

Thank You

Thank You to the following people who helped with the September 25 parish grounds and buildings fall cleanup/work day: *Jeff Bruhn, Harvey Henningsen, Chandra Dowda, Nancy Youngbauer, Scott Youngbauer, Brian Murphy, Don Murphy, David Murphy, Dan Ferry, Msgr Shafer, Bob Furlow, Karen Furlow, Joe Ragona, Dwight Gittings, Pat Siemsen, Barb McFate, Lynn Cawiezell and Dean Marten.*

Recent Baptism

We rejoice with Molly Ann McMichael, the daughter of Kevin & Patricia McMichael who was baptized on Saturday, September 25. We welcome Molly into our spiritual family.



Our Lady of the Prairie Retreat

Knit One, Pray Too will be held on Thursday, October 5 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. We will knit and pray together, share “yarns” of our individual journeys, and enjoy the spring colors at The Prairie.

For more information call Barb at 336-8414 or email to olpretreat@gmail.com.

North Scott Food Pantry Needs

October needs for the North Scott Food Pantry are chili beans, baked beans, canned soups and crackers. The Pantry will gladly accept any garden produce or excess deer meat.



Beacon of Hope Hospice

The Beacon of Hope Hospice will be hosting a grief support group at the Moline Activity Center (620 18th Street, Moline) every third Thursday of the month at 10:30 a.m. and at the Beacon of Hope Hospice (1020 W. 35th, Davenport) every fourth Thursday of the month at 3:30 p.m. Please join us to work through the grieving process while meeting others who can sympathize with your loss. For further information please call 391-6933.

You don't have to grieve alone!

The Adult Corner

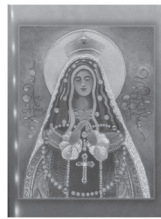
Question of the Week

For the Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time.

What's the size of your faith? Whom do you feel lives their faith as described by the “mustard seed” analogy? What do you consider to be your obligations as a Catholic? Do you have an experience where you stirred “into flame the gift of God that you have”?

October is Rosary Month – October 7 – *Our Lady of the Rosary*

The month of October each year is dedicated to the Most Holy Rosary.



This is primarily due to the fact that the liturgical feast of *Our Lady of the Rosary* is celebrated annually on October 7th. It was instituted to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary in gratitude for the protection that she gives the Church in answer to the praying of the Rosary by the faithful.



This picture of *Our Lady of the Rosary* is by Brother Michael McGrath and can be found in his book, *Blessed Art Thou*.

The Song of Francis

Venerable author-illustrator dePaola has written about St. Francis before, in *Francis: The Poor Man of Assisi* (1982). This book is for a younger audience, and its purpose isn't to give information about the man but rather to give a sense of him, particularly his love of life and his affinity for God's creatures. Although nowhere does the book allude to the “Canticle of the Sun,” Francis' ode to the natural world, this seems to be the basis for the book; Francis sings about Brother Sun and Sister Moon and invites the birds to “come and bless the Lord, because the Lord loves you.”



The collage art, which has both charm and power, uses marker-colored papers to make birds, trees, and a bevy of curly-haired angels.

In one exhilarating two-page spread, angels and birds intermingle, flying through the sky, as the brown-frosted Francis seems to lead them in song (ISBN-10: 039925210X).

St. Ann's Altar & Rosary Guild Annual Fall Raffle & Bake Sale

We are reminding parish members of the fall raffle & bake sale that will be held on November 6 & 7. We will be selling raffle tickets the weekends of October 30 & 31 & November 6 & 7. Please help us make this year's a success. We need items for the raffle as soon as possible. Please call Celeste Murphy at 285-4922, Coletta Littell at 285-9879 or Kathleen Schafer at 285-4663 if you have any questions.



YOUTH MINISTRY

St. Ann's Youth Ministry is on facebook! Add Stan Longrove as your friend to be updated on all the latest Youth Ministry news!

Diocesan High School Youth Rally: "Finish the Race - Be Exalted!" is the theme of our diocesan rally for youth in grades 9-12 to be held Sunday, Oct. 24 at the Coralville Marriott Conference Center. Our keynoter is APeX Ministries, talented jugglers who toss funny stories and deep faith into a routine that's anything but routine. The day also includes breakout sessions, Mass with Bishop Amos, lunch, dinner, games, a dance and much more!

Youth from St. Ann's will leave the parking lot at 7:30 a.m. on Oct. 24 and return by 8:30 p.m. Cost is \$45 which includes admission (transportation, etc). Deadline to sign up is October 15th. To sign up or get a permission form, contact Julia Jones. Details about the rally can be found at www.davenportyouth.org

St Ann's Youth will be taking the PLUNGE! The Polar Plunge that is! Students are raising money for the Special Olympics and will be charging into the icy waters of West Lake on October 16th. To show your financial support for St. Ann's Youth you may do so online at www.firstgiving.com/stannsyouth or you may write a check to **Special Olympics Iowa** and give it to St Ann's Youth Team Member. The team goal is to raise \$1000 and we cannot get there without your help!

Holy Hours of Prayer for Vocations

The Holy Hour of Prayer for Vocations have started across the Diocese. You are invited and encouraged to come and pray for the gift of vocations. The schedule is as follows:

Oct 13 - Davenport: St. Ambrose University - Christ the King Chapel (7PM)

Oct 20 - Grand Mound: SS Philip & James Parish (6PM)



FAITH FORMATION

Faith Formation, Grades Pre-K - 6

The Parent Day for 2nd grade parents is Sunday, October 10. All parents, please plan on joining your 2nd grader at class to meet their teacher and to share in their religious education.

"Come and See" Discernment Days

This coming fall, a day of reflection for those discerning a vocation to the priesthood, diaconate, or religious life or for anyone who wants to learn more about discernment, prayer and vocation will be held at the following parishes of our diocese:

Thur., Nov 4 - Our Lady of Victory (6pm - 9: pm)

Sun., Nov. 21 - St. Mary, Williamsburg (2 - 5 pm)

Each session will consist of a short presentation on vocations and discernment, prayer, and time for questions and answers. There will also be a time for quiet prayer during a Holy Hour of Adoration in front of the Blessed Sacrament.

St. Ann's Choir

St. Ann's Choir will rehearse at 9:00 a.m. each Sunday in October and sing for the 10:30 Mass. Past & present choir members and cantors are encouraged to attend. Interested parishioners (high school and adults) are welcome to attend and learn more about the music ministry.

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: _____