# The Catholic Communities of Cherokee and Holstein

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# September 26, 2021 Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Rev. Dan Rupp, Pastor	CALENDAR	
Parish Offices: Immaculate Conception Cherokee		8:00 a.m. Eucharist at OLGC [Fr. John Cain]
720 West Willow, PO Box 658 Phone 712-225-4606 Office Hours 7 a.m 4 p.m. Email iccherokee@gmail.com  Our Lady of Good Counsel Holstein 517 Mueller Street, PO Box 380 Phone 712-368-4755	Tues. Sept. 28 Wed. Sept. 29 Thur. Sept. 30	8:00 a.m. Eucharist at IC [Giam Paolo Berto] 8:00 a.m. Eucharist at OLGC [Doug Cronin] 8:00 a.m. Eucharist at IC
Deacon: Rev. Mr. LeRoy Rupp (IC) 712-225-5297  Bookkeeper: Joel Ehrig (IC) bkcherokee@scdiocese.org  Mary Forristal (OLGC) bkholstein@scdiocese.org	Fri. Oct. 1	[Kate Duffy] 8:00 a.m. Eucharist at OLGC [Julie Terry]
Secretary: Denise Mendt (IC) <u>iccherokee@gmail.com</u> JoAnn Graff (OLGC)		5:00 p.m. Eucharist at IC [Greg Stieneke]
Faith Formation: Joyce Galvin (OLGC) Maylissa Wells (IC)		8:30 a.m. Eucharist at OLGC [Parish Families]
iccherokeeff@gmail.com  Liturgy & Music Coordinator: Cain Junkman (IC)  junkman.cain@gmail.com  Custodian: Joe Immele (IC)		10:30 a.m. Eucharist at IC & Online [Francis & Cele Rupp]

#### FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR:

### **RCIA** is Coming This Tuesday

Are you interested in becoming Catholic or receiving 1<sup>st</sup> Communion and/or Confirmation? It is time for the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). If you know someone who is interested in the Catholic Faith or never received their 1<sup>st</sup> Communion and/or Confirmation, this will be a great opportunity for them. Please consider inviting someone to join the church, even if you have asked them before. The RCIA classes will be starting on Tuesday, September 28<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. in the Gathering Space in the school.

# St Francis Blessing of Pets Next Sunday (October 3<sup>rd</sup>)

In honor of the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi (which falls on Oct. 4<sup>th</sup>), we will be blessing pets next Sunday (October 3<sup>rd</sup>) at Noon in front of IC Church in Cherokee. Bring your dogs, cats, hamsters, parakeets, turtles, hermit crabs, horses, etc. and I will give them a blessing. Children can also bring their stuffed animals if they would like them blessed. See you and your pets next Sunday.

### **Together As One – Annual Appeal**

It's here! Let's work Together As One to help support our future. Check your mailboxes this week and make a gift to strengthen our Catholic community. When our parish goes over its diocesan support goal of \$25,691 for IC and \$6,824 for OLOG, 100% of that overage amount is returned to our parish for our use!!!

Fr. Dan

#### **SACRAMENT & PARISH INFORMATION**

**RECONCILIATION:** Before Mass and by appointment.

BAPTISM: Parents must attend Baptism Class. Register with

Michelle Wilson at 712-229-0299.

**MARRIAGE:** Contact the parish office 9 months in advance.

**COMMUNION and ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Please call your parish office or contact Fr. Dan.

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** Contact the parish office or go to cherokeecountycatholics.org.

**BULLETIN DEADLINE:** Noon on Wednesday.

#### **MASS MINISTERS**

#### Saturday October 2-5 p.m.

Cherokee

Altar Servers – Joe Anderson, Bill Anderson

Cantor - TBD

**Eucharistic Ministers** – Debbie Courtright, Buck Letsche **Greeters/Gift Presenters** – Angie, Mary & Eva Anderson

Reader – Judy Carlson

Ushers – Lori Fordyce, David Fordyce

## Sunday October 3 – 8:30 a.m.

Holstein

Readers – Martha Boyle, Don Kalin

**Cantor** – JoLynn Madsen

**Sequencer** – Natalie Madsen

Altar Servers – Morgan Todd, Tucker Parker

**Eucharistic Minister** – Judy Wagoner

**Communion Routes** – Matt Forristal (1), Pat Cronin (2)

**Hospitality** – Chad Jochims Family

Sacristan – Jerry Cronin

Usher – Dustin Winkel

Counters - Mary Kay Todd, Tom Kofmehl

**Rosary** – Amber Friedmann

### Sunday October 3 - 10:30 a.m.

Cherokee

Altar Servers – Adam Kohn, Tyler Kohn

Cantor - TBD

Eucharistic Ministers – Deb Anderson, Norma Clark

Greeters/Gift Presenters – Sara Kohn, Gert Selk

**Reader** – Joyce Bechtel

Ushers – Jacob Kohn, Jason Kohn

**Livestream Operator** – Denise Mendt

#### **Holy Communion CRMC**

Monday September 27 – Gert Selk

Tuesday September 28 – Kathy Hupke

Wednesday September 29 - Fr. Dan

Thursday September 30 – Julie Luken

Friday October 1 - Gert Selk

Saturday October 2 – Julie Luken

Sunday October 3 – Julie Luken



#### **STEWARDSHIP**



IC September 19

Weekly Total: \$4,719.85 - Adult Envelopes \$3,215, General - Online \$145, Major Repair - Envelopes \$1,000, Major Repair - Online \$65, Loose \$237.50, Votives \$12.35, CAP \$25, Retired & Infirm Priest \$20.

OLGC September 19

**Weekly Total:** \$1,108 – Adult Envelopes \$807, Youth \$9, Loose \$167, Building Fund \$100, Building Fund – Online \$25.

### OF INTEREST TO BOTH PARISHES

**40 Days for Life** is September  $22^{nd}$  – October  $31^{st}$ . More information is at <a href="https://scdiocese.org/events/40-days-for-life-1">https://scdiocese.org/events/40-days-for-life-1</a>.

**Our Church buildings** are open for regular prayer visits. At IC: Monday-Friday 7:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.; Saturday 8:30-6:00 p.m.; Sundays, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. At OLGC: every day 7:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.



#### Joke for the Week.....

Why did the robber jump in the shower? He wanted to make a clean getaway!

### IC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**IC Parish Prayer Chain:** Call Gert Selk 712-229-1756 to put prayers (illness/other) on prayer chain.

Annual Right to Life Prayer Chain will take place on Sunday October  $3^{rd}$ . Gather to pray the rosary outside IC church in the prayer garden at 1:30 p.m. We will finish prayerfully holding Right to Life signs in downtown from 2:00-3:00 p.m. Come join us in Standing Up For Life!

**The Parish Life Team** would like to initiate fellowship time by having coffee and treats in the church hall every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Mass. If you would like to volunteer for a Sunday, please call Mary Tuttle at 712-261-8876. Thanks for helping promote fellowship!

The Great Adventure Bible Study (a journey through the Bible) is back! Introductory session, including video, and Q & A: Sunday September 26<sup>th</sup> at 9 a.m. and Wednesday September 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:15 p.m. in the church hall. Come to one a learn more and decide if this Bible study is for you. Sessions will run Sundays 8:30 – 10:15 a.m. and Wednesday evening (during

Faith Formation class – exact time to be determined by participants), beginning Sunday October  $3^{rd}$  and Wednesday October  $6^{th}$ . Sessions 1-8 will run October and November and Sessions 9-24 will resume in midJanuary 2022. Cost of the study materials is \$35. Contact Jean Walker at 229-3018 with any questions.

Beginning this October, we will begin using a new software, Ministry Scheduler Pro, to begin scheduling liturgical ministers for our weekend and Holy Day Masses. This new software will automatically send email reminders a couple days prior to the Mass in which you serve. Additionally, all ministers have the option to make their own online account, if they wish, to adjust their availability. Rosters of all the ministers have been emailed to all ministers this past week, along with the October schedule. If you did not receive it by please let Cain Junkman know email, junkman.cain@gmail.com. Please let Cain know of any questions you have or any corrections.

We are looking to start a contemporary music ensemble to sing/play at Mass approximately once a month. Anyone of any age group is invited to join. Particular musicians for the group that are needed include vocalists (particularly vocalists that are comfortable singing parts), a guitarist, drummer, bass player, and anyone else who may be skilled and interested in playing another instrument. If you are interested or have more questions, please contact Cain Junkman by email at <a href="mailto:junkman.cain@gmail.com">junkman.cain@gmail.com</a>. We will then organize upcoming rehearsals with the group to begin playing at liturgies.

Ladies Guild: As members of the parish, we are asked to provide food for funeral lunches and to help work at the lunch (set-up, serving, clean-up, etc.). The \$20 annual dues you are asked to pay (pink envelope with offering envelopes) is for the upkeep of the parish hall, and is not in lieu of helping with funeral lunches. We are really in need of workers, especially with clean-up. The funeral committee lists are posted in the entrance area of the church so check out which one you are on. Even if you are not called to help or are not the committee serving, please offer to help if you can!

**CDA News:** New booklets are done and are also available in the entrance area of the church for the next couple weekends. Please pick up your booklet. Our next CDA meeting is October 4<sup>th</sup>.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** at IC is the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month after the 8 a.m. Mass. Can you spare 30 minutes of your day? Sign-up sheet is in the church entrance area.

**The CAP Food Pantry** depends on the generosity of others to provide food to those in our community who need help. Please consider making a contribution today.

#### **IC Faith Formation News**

**Rekindle** is now open for registrations. Please contact Maylissa Wells at the church office to register your 7-12 grader for this 1-day retreat at Kemper School in Carroll on October 17<sup>th</sup>. Registrations and payment due by September 30<sup>th</sup>. https://scdiocese.org/rekindle.

**IC Faith Formation** is in need of catechists for the 10-12 grade youth group. We also need volunteers in the office, gym before class, substitutes, and occasional drivers.

## ~ IC Birthdays ~

Sept 27 Mick Bakker, Andy Carlson, Jodi Schlichting

Sept 28 Damon Busse, Tom Glassmaker

**Sept 29** Joe Immele, Collin Lundy, Rachel Mallory, Clara Shuberg, Mike Zeimen

Sept 30 Madi Schlichting, Marty Torrey

Oct 1 Denny Holton, Gerald Kohn

Oct 2 Morgan Gravenish, Leah Hoffman, Mattison Lugar, Pauline Unkrur

Oct 3 Kathy Hupke, Christian Lundy, Rachel Meyer, Elaine Stieneke

### **OLGC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Prayer Line:** Contact Joyce Galvin at 251-1687 or Diane Gardalen at 229-1486.

**OLGC Parish** is most appreciative of the good work regarding the new black dirt being applied to many areas of the church grounds. Our thanks to Jerry Cronin for supervising the project, Dale Friedricksen for the hauling of the dirt and the many volunteers who worked very hard all day, Saturday, September 11<sup>th</sup>. Also, a thank you to Pat Cronin for the lunch.

**The Ida Groves Knights of Columbus** will be having their annual spaghetti dinner on Sunday, September 26<sup>th</sup> from 4 to 7 p.m. at Sacred Heart in Ida Grove.

**Community Basket donations** for September: Canned meats/fish and Helper meal mixes.

# ++++ Prayer for Vocations

God our Father, we beg you for an increase in religious vocations. Help our people offer their lives in service to You. Let them hear Your Spirit's invitation, and awaken in their hearts a desire to respond with courage, generosity, and joy. Raise up from our families faithful leaders, who will serve as deacons, priests, and consecrated religious, as we entrust to Your care all who seek to do Your will.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

# Please Pray For Those Who Are Remembered Here...

In Memory of ... Barbara Rupp

In Memory of... Del Ament and Jill Ament

In Memory of... Bud & Marjorie Brandt

In Memory of ... Owen & Eileen Hiniker

> In Memory of... Tom Murphy

In Memory of... Wayne & Rosemary Roepke

In Memory of... Chuck & Joyce Perrin, Dan & Mike Perrin & Mike Gates

> In Memory of... **Bud Perrin**

In Memory of ... Ralph, Herta and Sharon Rupp

In Memory of ... Jim Schallau

In Memory of ... Kay Chettinger

In Memory of... Dick & Darlene Hirschman

In Memory of ... Joy Lynn Larson & Douglas Stephen Larson

> In Memory of ... Max D. Martinsen

In Memory of ... August "Gus" Erickson

In Memory of ... Lori Sokolowski and Aaron Sokolowski

In Memory of ... Jerry & Steven Madsen

In Memory of... Roger, Marilyn & Karen Immele and Sy Rodgers

> In Memory of... Norman Moon

In Memory of... Paul & Matt George and John Storbeck

In Memory of ... Jim Karhoff & Dan Karhoff

In Memory of...

In Memory of ... Shannon & Stacy Goth, Roger Goth, Adrian & Helen Goth and Margaret Healy

In Memory of ... Pat Bakker. Dale Bakker Jr. and Barb Timmins

In Memory of... Emil & Helen Mendt

> In Memory of ... John Berigan

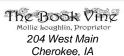
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In Memory of ... Kenneth & Elva Johnson

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