

The Catholic Communities of Cherokee and Holstein

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February 5, 2023 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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From Fr. Dan's Desk:

Bible In a Year Podcast – It is NOT to LATE to START

The Parish Councils and I are asking everyone to participate in Fr. Mike Schmitz's podcast. It takes about 20-30 minutes each day to watch the videos. To tune in to the videos go to Youtube.com and search for "Bible in a Year Fr. Mike Schmitz Day 1" and you will see the 1st video. Then you can search for day 2, day 3, etc. You can also listen to the podcast at podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/the-bible-in-a-year-with-fr-mike-schmitz/id1539568321.

ISU Basketball Game on Saturday, February 11th

I am going to the Iowa State Basketball game when they play Oklahoma State this coming Saturday (February 11th). Msgr. Seifried will cover the Saturday night Mass for me. Go Cyclones!!!

SACRAMENT & PARISH INFORMATION

Reconciliation: Before Mass and by appointment.

Baptism: Parents must attend Baptism Class. Contact the parish office.

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 February 11 – 5:00 p.m. Cherokee

Altar Servers – Joseph Anderson, Eva Anderson

Eucharistic Ministers – Mary Berger, Kathy Hupke

Greeters/Gifts – Martha & Dick Sokolowski

Reader – Jan McMurrin

Ushers – Mary Baughman-Kane & Warren Mitchell

Sunday February 12 – 8:30 a.m. Holstein

Readers – Corvin Griffin, Emma Wandrey

Cantor – Jared & Jayne Friedmann w/Joyce Galvin

Organ – Tyler Schnuckel

Altar Servers – Jonathan Friedmann, Anna Schnuckel

Eucharistic Minister – Dale Friedrichsen

Communion Routes – 1 Mary Forristal, 2 Bob Galvin

Hospitality – Caleb Friedrichsen, Laura Friedrichsen, Bodie Johnson, Beckett Johnson

Ushers – Matt Forristal, Tom Kofmehl

Sacristan – Jen Rau

Counters – Kiley Todd, Brian Cronin

Sunday February 12 - 10:30 a.m. Cherokee

Altar Servers – Adam Kohn, Wyatt Ludvigson, Ava Thorson

Eucharistic Ministers – Brandon Walker, Jean Walker

Greeters/Gifts – Mary Cline, Shirley George

Reader – Jeanette Konrady

Ushers – Tony Steward, David Zanfes

Livestream Operator – Mark Wilson

Holy Communion CRMC

February 6– Kathy Hupke

February 7– Suzanne Torrey

February 8 – Fr. Dan

February 9 – Susie Haselhoff

February 10 – Diane Williams

February 11– Julie Luken

February 12 – Denise Mendt



STEWARDSHIP



IC

Jan 29

Weekly Total: \$5,615.33 – Adult Envelopes \$3,473, General – Online \$105, Youth \$88.08, Major Repair - Envelopes \$817, Major Repair – Online \$60, Loose \$212.25, CAP \$520, CAP – Online \$30, Religious Ed \$100, Briar Cliff \$210. TAO – Goal \$24,728, Paid to date \$20,712.

OLGC

Jan 29

Weekly Total: \$1,464 – Adult Envelopes \$1,273.50, Youth \$22.50, Loose \$143, Briar Cliff \$25. TAO – Goal \$6,568, Paid to date \$6,185.

OF INTEREST TO BOTH PARISHES

Save the date! CDA Baked Potato & Topping Dinner is Sunday, February 19th in the IC church hall.

Update from Sr. Janice: I feel so supported by your prayers, cards, and other kindnesses. Thank you!! Recovery is going very well. After receiving many broken bones in a serious car accident on Nov. 9th I wore a sling on my left arm and a neck brace for seven weeks, and I walked with a cane. The sling, brace, and cane are gone now. I can walk over a mile a day and I'm doing therapy for range of motion on my neck and arm. The care at Holy Spirit assisted living in Sioux City has been excellent. On Saturday, Feb. 4th I moved temporarily to be with our Sisters at Clare House, 3340 Windsor Avenue, Dubuque, IA 52001. When I'm well enough I plan to return to live in Cherokee. It will be good to see you again.

Help us help you. When you are admitted to the hospital, the main focus of the staff is on your physical health and they sometimes forget to ask about your spiritual needs. You or a family member need to make sure your nurse knows you want to receive Communion. Once they know you want Communion, you are put on the "yes" list and when the Eucharistic Ministers call the hospital, your name can be given to them.

The Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LiHEAP) offered through Mid-Sioux Opportunity, Inc. may be able to help you pay your winter heating bill. This program is funded through the Iowa Department of Human Rights and has been established to help qualified low-income Iowa homeowners and renters pay for a portion of their primary heating costs. Your local Mid-Sioux office will be taking applications through April 30, 2023. Call 225-3322 for an appointment to apply for LiHEAP.



Tater Tot Casserole

1 pound ground beef
1 medium onion (chopped)
1 can cream of mushroom soup
3 ½ cups frozen mixed vegetables
1 tbsp ketchup

1 tbsp Worcestershire sauce

3 cups frozen tater tots

2 cups shredded cheddar cheese

In a large skillet, cook the beef and onion over medium-high heat until the beef is fully browned. Break up the meat as it cooks. Drain off excess liquid. In a large bowl mix together the beef mixture with the soup, ketchup, Worcestershire sauce, frozen mixed vegetables, and 1 cup of the shredded cheese. Transfer the mixture to a 12×8-inch shallow baking dish. Top the beef with tater tots. Bake at 425 degrees F for 20 minutes. Top the casserole with shredded cheese and bake for 5 additional minutes until the cheese is melted.

Joke for the week.....



What do you get when you cross a snowman and a vampire?
Frostbite!

IC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

CDA February dinner meeting is Monday, February 6th at 5:30 p.m. in the church hall. Rosary followed by dinner and meeting.

Ladies Guild meeting and lunch will be on Wednesday, February 8th at 12:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

Needed: An individual that is a bilingual speaker (English and Spanish) who would be willing to serve as an interpreter to help our Hispanic parishioners.

Bell Choir is looking for a few new members! If interested please contact Mary Meyers at 229-0454 for more information.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at IC is the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month after the 8 a.m. Mass. The sign-up sheet is in the church entrance area.

~ IC Birthdays ~

Feb 6 Bonnie Rupp, Chris Shea

Feb 7 Tanya Gaes, Colton Happe, Sheree Hausmann

Feb 8 Claudeen Bugh, Mary Ann Unkrur

Feb 9 Rita Comstock, Dru Doeden

Feb 10 Debbie Carlson, Pat Coghlán

Feb 12 Kiersten Carlson, Tom Pitts, Tony Steward,
Teal Wilson

IC Faith Formation

Children's Liturgy needs parents and volunteers each week to help lead this ministry. The sign-up sheet and leader's pages are on the east counter at the back of church.

OLGC PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

Our next Liturgical Ministries Schedule will run from Ash Wednesday - February 22nd through Pentecost - May 28th. Within that schedule we will have Holy Thursday Mass (April 6) at 6 p.m. and Good Friday (April 7) at 7 p.m. We will be working on this new schedule the week of February 6th. Please notify us of any dates that you will not be able to serve by Monday, February 6th. You can call the office and leave a message or go to MSP and enter the dates you will not be able to serve. Thank you.

If you have a child between the ages of 3 and 4 years old, you may qualify for the FREE Ida County Community Preschool! For more information on this free preschool program contact 800-859-2025.

Donut Sunday is February 12th and the next Parish Fellowship Breakfast is Sunday, March 12th. All are welcome.

Parishioners who are able to help with sidewalk snow removal are asked to select a week on the weekly snow angels list in the front entryway. The weeks of Feb 12-Apr 1 still are open and in need of volunteers. There is a Snow Removal Log to record the time/date of the job done. If you have any questions, please ask. Many thanks to the individuals who have already cleared the snow sidewalks many times this winter. Special thanks for the teens who donate their time.

OLGC Courtesy Committee is sending cards to parishioners for new babies, get well, sympathy, special birthdays and anniversaries. Please call Beth Ortnier at 712-368-4754 to request a parish card be sent.

Community Basket donations for February: Laundry/Kitchen items – detergent, bleach, dryer sheets, fabric softener, dish soap.



Please Pray For Those Who Are Remembered Here...

<i>In Memory of...</i> Barbara Rupp	<i>In Memory of...</i> Ralph, Herta and Sharon Rupp	<i>In Memory of...</i> Jerry & Steven Madsen	<i>In Memory of...</i> Pat and Dale Bakker Jr. and Barb Timmins
<i>In Memory of...</i> Del Ament and Jill Ament	<i>In Memory of...</i> Jim Schallau	<i>In Memory of...</i> Elaine Rupp	<i>In Memory of...</i> Emil & Helen Mendt
<i>In Memory of...</i> Bud & Marjorie Brandt	<i>In Memory of...</i> Kay Chettinger	<i>In Memory of...</i> Norman Moon	<i>In Memory of...</i> Paul & Matt George, John Storbeck and Marilyn George-Storbeck
<i>In Memory of...</i> Owen & Eileen Hiniker	<i>In Memory of...</i> Dick & Darlene Hirschman	<i>In Memory of...</i> John Berigan	<i>In Memory of...</i> Floyd & Mary Lux and Bob & Sharon Conley
<i>In Memory of...</i> Max & Mary Lou Martinsen	<i>In Memory of...</i> Harold, Joy & Douglas Larson	<i>In Memory of...</i> Jim Karhoff & Dan Karhoff	<i>In Memory of...</i> Michael E. Bechtel and Deceased Members of the Messerole Family
<i>In Memory of...</i> Wayne & Rosemary Roepke	<i>In Memory of...</i> Merle Woolworth	<i>In Memory of...</i> Shannon & Stacy Goth, Roger Goth, Adrian & Helen Goth and Margaret Healy	<i>In Memory of ...</i> Richard & Sally Henke
<i>In Memory of...</i> Chuck & Joyce Perrin, Dan & Mike Perrin & Mike Gates	<i>In Memory of...</i> August "Gus" Erickson	<i>In Memory of...</i> Donald, Christine & Glen Sauer	<i>In Memory of ...</i> Kenneth & Elva Johnson
<i>In Memory of...</i> Bud Perrin	<i>In Memory of...</i> Lori Sokolowski and Aaron Sokolowski		

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