



SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

DAILY MASS

8 am (Monday - Friday)

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE (MISAS)

Saturday
4:30 pm

Sunday

7:30 am

9:30 am

11:30 am

1 pm (en español)

RECONCILIATION (RECONCILIACIÓN)

Saturday

3:00 pm—4:00 pm

Gathering Space Reconciliation Room

ADORATION (HORA SANTA)

First Tuesday of Every Month

primer martes de cada mes

Following 8 am Mass

Healing Service and Benediction

Servicio de Sanación y Bendición

6 pm

OFFICE HOURS (HORAS DE OFICINA)

Monday/lunes 7:30 am - 5:30 pm

Tuesday/martes 7:30 am - 5:30 pm

Wednesday/miércoles 7:30 am - 6:30 pm

Thursday/jueves 7:30 am - 5:30 pm

Friday/viernes 7:30 am - noon



4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish." - Jn 10:27-28b

"Mis ovejas escuchan mi voz; yo las conozco y ellas me siguen. Yo les doy la vida eterna y no perecerán jamás". - Jn 10, 27-28

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SH Vision Statement #3

Visible Active Apostles

We are Active Apostles who visibly go into our community on a mission to share the Good News of God's love.

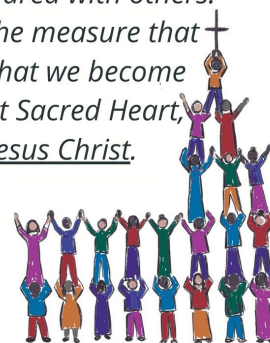
An apostle is one who is sent on mission. When we have a personal encounter (relationship) with Jesus, especially in the Eucharist, we are called to share that Good News of God's love for us in service to others. I believe the Gospel, the Good News of God's love each of us in Jesus Christ, is not meant to be kept as a personal possession but is meant to be given away and shared with others. The love of God grows in us in the measure that we give it away. It is my vision that we become who we are called to be here at Sacred Heart,

Active Apostles on fire for Jesus Christ.

~Fr. Chris

Parish Summit

July 23, 2022



YOU are Sacred Heart. We want to build on YOUR ideas!

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WELCOME

If you are new to our Sacred Heart Parish and wish to be a member of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, please stop by the parish office or call 515-225-6414 to facilitate the New Member Registration. We have programs and activities available for all ages. We offer the RCIA program for those who wish to become Catholics. We invite you to become involved as an Active Apostle at Sacred Heart Parish!

BIENVENIDOS

Si usted es nuevo al Sacred Heart (Sagrado Corazón) y quiere ser se miembro, por favor pase por la oficina de la iglesia para obtener el paquete de registración. También se puede facilitar un paquete por correo si llama al 515-225-6414. Si usted necesita ayuda en español, por favor llame al 515-225-0546 para comunicarse directamente con la Directora del Ministerio Hispano. Tenemos programas y actividades para todas edades. También ofrecemos el programa de RICA para los quienes desean convertirse a la fe católica o los quienes necesitan terminar sus sacramentos de iniciación. ¡Los invitamos a participar como Apóstoles Activos en la Parroquia de Sacred Heart!

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PRAYER INTENTIONS

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WEEK OF MAY 8, 2022

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, May 8

7:30 a.m. † Kathy Streck
9:30 a.m. † Marion Thomas
11:30 a.m. † Todd Asher
1:00 p.m. † SH Parishioners

Monday, May 9

8:00 a.m. † Robert Celsi

Tuesday, May 10

8:00 a.m. † Frank Gallardo
† Special Intention for
Bill Curoe

Wednesday, May 11

8:00 a.m. † Gail Wheeler and
Connie Rummelhart

Thursday, May 12

8:00 a.m. † Chad Greening

Friday, May 13

8:00 a.m. † Andre Grignon

Saturday, May 14

4:30 p.m. † Jim Belisle

**Our deepest sympathy and prayers for the families of the following.
May God grant them eternal rest.**

Dalila Ofelia

Mother of parishioners Judith Beaty, Ramiro Cordova, Anna Cordova

Ralph Renteria, Sr.

Parishioner

Through the Waters of Baptism, we welcome you to Sacred Heart!

Alan Mares and Eduardo Sanchez

Children of of Rodrigo Sanchez and Maria Mares

**Celebrating the Sacrament of Matrimony
and rejoicing in your Blessed union!**

Trevon & Kaitlin (Westphal) Smith

FINANCIAL MESSAGE – MARCH 2022

TITHES - Monthly

Actual: \$189,788

Budget: \$175,000

Overage: \$14,788

Over for the fiscal year: \$10,927

2022 ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

Assessment: \$288,232

Pledges and Gifts: \$141,385

Shortfall: \$146,847 (as of March 25, 2022)

IGNITE!

Goal: \$2,848,893

Ask will begin April 29

*"Do not neglect to do good and to share what you
have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God."
(Hebrews 13:16)*

PLEASE PRAY FOR POR FAVOR ORE POR

Joe Cimino
Andy Crouse
Bill Curoe
Joanie DeWitt
Viola Dubay
Vicki Ferin
Florence Fligg
Rhonda Gammell
Ali Lasell
Pat Leon
Brooks Mack
Shannon Moses
Cora Newcomb
Linda Rameriz
Santiago Reyes - Savala
Paul Roth
Steph Salana
Colleen Salazar
Gabe Savala
Olivia Steffensmeier
Darryl Swan
Michael Thompson
Michele Thompson
Lori Tiffaney
Lyle Veach
Linda Waechter
Anne Marie Wilkinson
Abby Woodson
Heather and Mary
Rachel

Please let us know of if you would like us to pray for you. Please call the office at 515-225-6414.

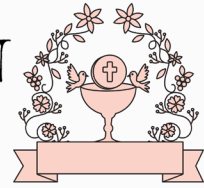
Por favor déjenos saber si usted conoce una persona quien necesita oraciones de la comunidad.

GIVE ONLINE



DONE EN LÍNEA

2022 FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PRIMERA COMUNIÓN



CHRISTOPHER OPOKU

MEREDITH OPOKU

Congratulations to the Sacred Heart children who received their First Holy Communion this weekend! Welcome to God's Table!

Felicidades a los niños del Sagrado Corazón que recibieron su Primera Comunión este fin de semana! Bienvenidos a la mesa de Dios!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #9632

Pancake Breakfast

Join us next Sunday, May 15, for this month's Knights of Columbus pancake breakfast. We'll be serving from 8 am to 11 am in the parish center. Our breakfasts are for sharing fellowship and supporting the ministries of our parish and community.

Bottle/Can Drive

Next month the Knights of Columbus is having a bottle and can collection drive on Saturday, June 11, from 9 am -2 pm in the church/school parking lot. Stop by with your empty 5¢ bottles and cans and the knights will help unload them from your vehicle. Our last drive rose over \$1,000. All proceeds go to tuition assistance at Sacred Heart School.

Retirement Planning Webinar

Open to all Sacred Heart parishioners, join us for an informative webinar as the Knights of Columbus hosts "Retirement Planning in a Changing Landscape," featuring America's IRA Expert Ed Slott. The webinar is available either Tuesday evening May 24 or June 14. Both webinars begin at 6:30 pm and last about an hour. If interested please email shkcwdm@gmail.com for the webinar link.

MARY'S HELPING HANDS UPDATE

Mary's Helping Hands thanks Sacred Heart Parish and School!

Our recent baby clothing and infant item drive was a huge success due to your generosity! Thank you so very much. We are so humbled. The donations of Sacred Heart directly aid those that we serve. Our clients are so appreciative and thankful.

Mary's Helping Hands is a 501(c)(3) non-profit serving vulnerable pregnant women, families and babies in their first year of life. We take in gently used and clean maternity, and baby clothing plus nursery items for an infant's first year of life. Mary's Helping Hands donates these items to these families in need at no charge. Thank you Sacred Heart for your tremendous donations!

In March, we served 195 mothers and babies by providing over 6,500 items such as maternity clothing, baby clothes, blankets, diapers, bathing needs, nursing supplies, books and toys. Between January and April of 2022, we donated 29,915 items to 638 clients! As you can see, the need is great in our community and we can only serve these needs through our generous donors.

If you wish to donate, volunteer or learn more about our organization, please see our website: maryshelpinghandsiowa.org. Happy Mother's Day to all and especially to our clients!

ST. VINNIE'S CORNER

St. Vinnie's Corner: Every One Has a Story

Each one of us has a story to tell. These stories can be good or bad, maybe from our childhood, our high school or college days, our jobs, our relationships, our troubled times.

St Vincent de Paul members have heard many stories from God's troubled people. We will be sharing a few of these stories with you. As Covid-19 affected us all, it changed our ministry. We could not visit nursing homes, go on home visits and volunteer in many places. However we were still able to help those in need. People still came to area churches for assistance and to seek refuge from hard times.

Just this February during the coldest part of our winter, we were asked to help a man who wanted a few nights in a warm place. He had been living in his very old car with all of his possessions. For food, he visited area food pantries and ate the canned goods he received. Trying to save on gasoline, he would run his car intermittently to try and stay warm so he could sleep.

This man owned a construction company and had a crew of workers but lost it all when work was stopped due to Covid-19. When things were shut down, he paid all of his bills and his crew but was left with just his car, his ragged clothes and a few tools. When asked how SVdP could help, he said that he needed a warm bed for a few nights to get sleep and a hot shower and nothing else. St. Vincent de Paul of Sacred Heart was able to arrange for 2 nights with a warm room, bed and a bathroom. To assist his plan go to Texas, he was given a Kum & Go gas card and a food card from Hy-Vee. The look of gratitude on his face was priceless. He shook hands and got in his beat up old car and drove away. He left clean, warm and very grateful.

This is just one of many stories that SVdP deals with.

Remember, "But for the Grace of God, there go I."

WOMEN'S GUILD UPDATES

Learn About Iowa's COVID Crane Memorial
6:30 pm-8 pm Tuesday, May 10, Parish Center

The public is invited to learn how one local artist and Sacred Heart parishioner, Pam Douglas, turned the isolation of the pandemic into a moving tribute honoring Iowans who've died of COVID. Douglas launched the memorial at Sacred Heart in 2020. To date, she's hand folded more than 9,400 origami cranes. As part of our parish Art & Environment Committee, Pam will discuss how the committee makes each season of the liturgical year meaningful. She will focus on her COVID crane memorial which sadly continues to grow. It's now "migrated" to several other locations in Iowa as a traveling exhibit, called Folding Cranes: Enfolding Community. The Women's Guild is sponsoring the event, which is free of charge. All are welcome.

-If you care to join for food and fellowship, please bring a salad for supper which begins at 6:30 pm.

-If you can only attend for the presentation, please come to the Sacred Heart parish center at 7 pm.



PERFECT FIRST COMMUNION GIFT

Pick one up
for your Mom!



CHARM
\$6 EACH
4 FOR \$20

**SACRED HEART OF JESUS
FEAST DAY FUNDRAISERS**
AVAILABLE IN THE CHURCH OFFICE



IGNITE! CAMPAIGN

The **Ignite!** Campaign is now underway, and the generosity of our communities is clearly apparent. Many thanks to the volunteers who are working diligently and the donors who have given so generously in the early stages of our campaign. To date, our campaign has already raised over \$450,000!

In the coming weeks, volunteers may be contacting some of you. If you receive a call, we kindly ask that you take the call or return the message. Do not avoid talking to our volunteers. It makes their job more difficult and puts them in a tough position. Also, if possible, meet face-to-face. Consider giving our volunteers 15 minutes of your time. They are not trying to twist your arm, they just want to briefly explain the campaign goals, answer your questions, and receive a decision about your participation.

Your Gift Matters! Remember, the letter you received includes a financial request. It is not an expectation. It is an invitation. You may not be able to give what was asked. You may be able to give more than asked. Whatever that decision is, know that your commitment is deeply appreciated and a true blessing.



*Thank you
for your
consideration
and your support
of the Diocese
of Des Moines!*

MAKE YOUR PLEDGE

"Designation - choose a parish" = West Des Moines, Sacred Heart Parish ICC

Online pledge form - <https://www.dmdiocese.org/giving/ignite/give-now>

DIOCESAN MEMORIAL DAY MASS

The annual Memorial Day Mass in the Des Moines metro area will be celebrated at Glendale Cemetery in Des Moines at 10 a.m. on Memorial Day, Monday, May 30. If it rains, the Mass will be celebrated at St. Theresa Church at Merle Hay Road and University Avenue.

YOUNG CATHOLIC NETWORK

Rooftop Social & Speaker Panel

Tuesday, June 7, 2022

Kick-off summer with the Young Catholic Network on the rooftop of the Market One building in the East Village! Young professionals in their 20s and 30s across the Diocese of Des Moines are invited to a rooftop social and speaker panel event on Tuesday, June 7, 2022 beginning at 6pm. The evening features complimentary drinks and dinner and comments from Catholic professionals in the community on living our shared faith today. See the list of panelists and register online www.dmdiocese.org/ycn.

It's time to register for Family Formation 2022-2023!!!!

After
the
9:30
AM
mass



Registro para
la Formación
Familiar
después de la
misa a la una
en la
biblioteca.
Debe ser un
miembro
registrado y se
debe realizar el
pago completo.

Easy, fast registration in the library.
Full payment must be made and must
be a registered member of Sacred
Heart.

Sacred Heart Mom's group

We believe in the simple but revolutionary idea that remarkable things happen when moms come together. We are excited to walk through this season of motherhood with you. Together is way more fun! Childcare available.

Monday
9:45am
Mornings

Events Include

- ✓ Speakers
- ✓ Soul Core
- ✓ Adoration
- ✓ Marian consecration

Location

St Joseph's room
1627 Grand Ave,
West Des Moines,
IA 50265

Contact Us 563-340-5760 Rose Giorgio rosecgiorgio@gmail.com

CHEFS CHRIS AND LITTO ARE READY TO COOK FOR YOU!!



Give a gift to the ADA and you might win a dinner for 10 prepared by our priests!

If Sacred Heart reaches its ADA goal during the Easter season, Father Chris and Father Litto will don their chef hats and aprons and host a progressive dinner for you and nine of your friends!

Enjoy cocktails and appetizers, an Indian dinner, and cap off the night with dessert and coffee.

Make your ADA gift today!
www.sacredheartwdm.org/ada



You are invited to a pivotal day at Sacred Heart Catholic

Bring your ideas!

Collaborate with other parishioners to build on ideas!

More details and RSVP on the website
www.sacredheartwdm.org/summit

July 23, 2022
8 am



YOU are Sacred Heart. We want to build on YOUR ideas!



MUNDO HISPANO SAGRADO CORAZÓN

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MISAS

Domingo
1 pm (en español)

RECONCILIACIÓN

Sábado
3:00 pm—4:00 pm

HORA SANTA

Primer martes de cada mes
Después de la misa de las 8 de la mañana
6:00 pm Servicio de Sanación y Bendición
6:30 pm Tercer sábado de cada mes

HORAS DE OFICINA

lunes 7:30 am - 5:30 pm
martes 7:30 am - 5:30 pm
miércoles 7:30 am - 6:30 pm
jueves 7:30 am - 5:30 pm
viernes 7:30 am - noon

CLASE DE BAUTISMO

5:00 pm El segundo lunes de cada mes

Estáis invitados a un día clave en Sacred Heart

¡Trae tus ideas!

Trabaja con otros feligreses
Desarrolla un plan basado en las ideas

Más detalles y confirme su asistencia en la
página web
www.sacredheartwdm.org/summit

Julio 23, 2022
8 am

Tú eres Sacred Heart. Queremos construir sobre tus ideas!



LA VIRGEN PEREGRINA

Recibe a la Virgen de
Guadalupe en tu casa así
como Juan Diego la
recibió en su tilma.

Están todas invitadas al:

Gremio de Mujeres de la Iglesia del Sagrado Corazón

Cena de Ensaladas de la Primavera

Presentación: Pam Douglas, miembro de nuestro
grupo hablará a cerca de sus "Cortinas de Origami"
para recordar a las víctimas fallecidas por el
COVID.

Lugar: Salón Parroquial de la Iglesia

Fecha: Martes 10 de Mayo

Hora: 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Nota: Por favor traer una ensalada para compartir.



¡Feliz
Día de la Madre!





Mass Quiz for May 8, 2022

1. What color vestments is the priest wearing this Sunday? White.
2. The First Reading is from
 - a. Esther
 - b. Acts of the Apostles ←
 - c. Kings
3. Fill in the blank, "For so the Lord commanded us, 'I have made you a light to the Gentiles.'"
4. The Responsorial Psalm is, "We are His people, the sheep of His flock."
5. The Second Reading is from
 - a. Philippians
 - b. Corinthians
 - c. Revelation ←
6. Who is having the vision in the Reading?
 - a. Daniel
 - b. James the Lesser
 - c. John ←
7. In the Reading, whose throne did they stand in front of? God's.
8. The Gospel Reading is from
 - a. Matthew
 - b. Mark
 - c. Luke
 - d. John ←
9. Fill in the blank, "My sheep hear My voice; I know them, and they follow Me.
10. Who and the Father are one? Jesus.

*Kids Worksheet
Answer Key!*



LIVE MUSIC FOOD TRUCKS KIDS ACTIVITIES

SAVE THE DATE!

FEAST DAY

CELEBRATION

FRIDAY, JUNE 24TH



MUSIC BY B2WINS!

Sacred Heart
Feast Day
Celebration!

SAVE THE DATE
Friday, June 24th

Celebración de la
fiesta del Sagrado
Corazón

RESERVE LA FECHA
Viernes 24 de junio

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Dowling Catholic High School Openings

In preparation for the region, Dowling Catholic High School is seeking the following full-time positions:

- Accounts Payable Clerk
- Accounts Receivable Specialist
- Admissions Coordinator

More information can be found on Dowling's website (www.dowlingcatholic.org). Applications can be submitted on Teach Iowa. Please contact Jesse Proehl, Human Resources Specialist with questions. jproehl@dowlingcatholic.org

St. Theresa Parish (DM) Parish Business Manager Opening

St Theresa Parish in Des Moines seeks a full-time Parish Business Manager responsible for fiscal and facility management. Sound financial management of the parish's financial resources is a critical component of this position, along with a demonstrated ability to manage facilities and interact with staff through collaborative teamwork. Job description is available at: <https://sainttheresaiaowa.org/employment-opportunities/>. Please email a cover letter and resume to teischeid@stdsm.com. Applications are due by May 27. For more information, call or text Anita Holub at 515-216-0908.

Sensory Friendly Family Inclusion Mass

WHO: A special invitation is extended to any person with sensory issues or disabilities of autism, Down's syndrome, developmental/intellectual, dementia, Alzheimer's, and other disabilities, and their loved ones. Voice noise and physical movements are welcomed at this Mass.

WHERE: St. Ambrose Cathedral, 601 High St. in Des Moines

WHEN: Sunday, May 22, 3 p.m. An ice cream social follows Mass.

WHY: In an effort to embrace and welcome the members of our church with autism, Down's syndrome, developmental/intellectual, dementia and other disabilities, the Diocese of Des Moines will have a Sensory Friendly Family Inclusion Mass. We try to create an environment free of stigma.

CONTACT: For more information, contact Patty Origer, poriger@dmdioocese.org; 515-237-5073.



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Diocese of Des Moines Disability Ministry
www.dmdioocese.org/disabilityministry

Low lights

Low lights are more inviting for those with sensory issues.



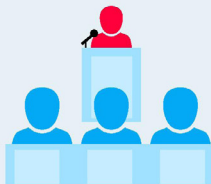
Soft music

Soft music is easier to enjoy for those with sensory issues or disabilities.



Homily

Shorter, more literal homilies are easier to comprehend and accommodate shorter attention spans.



Scripture

Scripture from a children's lectionary is easier to understand



Bring what you need, supplies provided, to have a prayerful, positive experience!

Families are encouraged to bring materials that can assist with comfort during the liturgy: noise cancelling headphones, wiggle seats, fidgets, etc.

Materials provided include: wiggle seats, headphones, picture missals and sunglasses.

ASL interpreter will be available.

