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August 9, 2020

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Monday, Aug 10	Lois Grote+	Fr. Remmes
Tuesday, Aug 11	FB live-streamed Morning Prayer & Mass 7:45 am	
	Rose Ocken+	Fr. Remmes
	Andrew & Elvera Daniel+	Fr. Friedrichsen
	Barb Masching+	Fr. Pick
5:00 pm	FB live-streamed Evening Prayer	Fr. Tims
Wednesday, Aug 12	FB live-streamed Morning Prayer & Mass 7:45 am	
	Mary Lou Julich+	A Fr. Tim
8:30 am	Rosary at Holy Angles MWS Roselle	
10:00 am	L/D of the Ben & Genevieve Haberl Family	Arcadia
12:00 pm	Bernice Irlmeier+	Templeton
5:00 pm	Leonard Feilmeier+	Glidden
5:30 pm	Kathy Kalkhoff+	Mount Carmel
Thursday, Aug 13	FB live-streamed Morning Prayer & Mass 7:45 am	
	Eugene (Butch) Schmitz+ & Marian Schmitz+	Fr. Remmes
	For All CTKCC Parishioners	Fr. Friedrichsen
	Leon & Dorothy Masching+	Fr. Pick
12:00 pm	L/D of the Elmer & Lois Grote Family	Breda
5:00 pm	Sandy Johnson+ & David Sibbel+	Halbur
5:00 pm	FB live-streamed Evening Prayer	A Fr. Tim
Friday, Aug 14	FB live-streamed Morning Prayer & Mass 7:45 am	
	Margaret Schroeder+	Fr. Remmes
	Albert & Agnes Halbur+	Fr. Friedrichsen
	Dale Snyder+	Fr. Pick
5:00 pm	FB live-streamed Evening Prayer & Mass 5:15 pm	Frs. Tims
	Vigil for the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	
	Cure for the COVID-19 Virus & Protection of Family	
Saturday, Aug 15	SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	
5:00 pm	Leana Kalkhoff+	Templeton
5:30 pm	L/D of the Carl Schultes Family	Glidden
Sunday, Aug 16	TWENTIETH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME	
8:00 am	Leo Bruch+	Halbur
8:00 am	Paul Mescher+	Mount Carmel
10:00 am	L/D of the Neil Family	Arcadia
10:00 am	Kay Wernimont+	Breda

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**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS ARE
DUE WEDNESDAYS EVENINGS
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FROM THE PRIESTS: August 15 is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Normally that is a Holy Day of Obligation, but because it falls on Saturday, the obligation is abrogated. We Frs. Tims will live-stream the Vigil Mass for the Solemnity right after our 5:00pm evening prayer on Friday, Aug. 14 (Readings: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14, "Lord, go up to the place of your rest, you and the ark of your holiness."; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Luke 11:27-28).

The belief in the Assumption of Mary is very old—going back to the fourth century. It developed throughout the centuries, both in the east (Orthodox Churches) and in the west (Roman Church). In 1940, eight million signatories—people mostly from Italy, Spain and Latin America—requested that the Pope define the Assumption as a doctrine of our faith. In 1950, Pope Pius XII defined that Mary, the Mother of Our Lord, "having completed her earthly life was in body and soul assumed into heavenly glory". Pius XII and many Church leaders saw that the world, especially Europe, was still reeling from WWII and the cruelty that humanity had inflicted upon humanity—in the Holocaust and war efforts. By the promulgation of the Assumption as a doctrine of faith, Pius XII wanted to reestablish hope in people, as well as a sense of the worth and goodness of the human person.

The Doctrine of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, then, is a grass-roots doctrine, arising from the piety of millions of people. This Solemnity is a celebration of the way Mary has continued to be personally present to the faithful throughout the centuries. How could Mary be so present, show such motherly concern, unless she were fully, personally, eternally alive? How could Mary be so present unless she already shared in the eternal life won by Jesus Christ in and through his life, death and resurrection? With this feast we acknowledge Mary as the first of all the saints—the first to share in the fullness of salvation won by Christ—not simply because she gave birth to our Savior, but because she heard the word of God and kept it (Lk 11:28; vigil); she trusted that the Lord's words to her would be fulfilled (Lk 1:45; Mass of the day). We affirm Mary's real motherly presence as interceding for us, especially when we pray the rosary or other Marian prayers and as we reflect on special places such as Czestochowa ("Black Madonna", perh. 14th cent.), Guadalupe (1531), Lourdes (1858), Knock (1879), Fatima (1917), Medjagore (1981+), and many more.

THE PARISH OFFICE IN BREDA will be closed this week as Donna Wesely takes a much deserved break. Office email and voicemail will be checked; you may email one or both Frs. Tims or call the rectory (see front page, right hand column).

REMINDER to all “rising 9th graders” in our parishes: We want to give special recognition and blessings on the weekend of August 22-23. Please let us know how many family members (living together) will attend. At the end of Mass, we will acknowledge each “**rising 9th grader**” and their parents and then pray a special blessing over you. We will also pray a special blessing for all students, teachers, catechists, administrators and staff returning to school and religious education programs.

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A

Readings: 1 Kings 19:9a, 11-13a; Psalm 85:9, 10, 11-12, 13-14 (Resp. “Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.”); Romans 9:1-5; Matthew 14:22-33.

“Go outside and stand on the mountain before the LORD; the LORD will be passing by.” What, pray tell, did Elijah think that meant? To our ears, “passing by” seems to imply that the LORD wants Elijah step out of the cave to wave as the LORD goes by: “Howdy, LORD!” In Mark’s version of the today’s Gospel story (Mk 6:45-52), The Walking on the Water, Mark writes that Jesus “meant to pass by them” (v. 48c). That seems a rather odd intention on Jesus’ part as the disciples are being tossed about on the waves: “See you on the other side, boys; hope you don’t sink!”

The expression “to pass by” or “passing by” is used a few times in the Bible as a synonym for “to reveal”. The LORD will be revealing himself to Elijah; Jesus “meant to [reveal himself] to them”. These are then “epiphany” stories, because they make God manifest. Many powerful forces of creation happen before Elijah on the mountain: strong and heavy wind that rends the mountains and crushes rocks; an earthquake; fire (Moses at Mt Sinai kind of fireworks!). Yet, “there was a tiny whispering sound.” At that, “Elijah hid his face in his cloak...”, because he realized that the LORD was before him. The LORD reveals himself not only in powerful signs, but in a whisper, a mysterious tiny sound. What are the quiet, calm, hushed, silent moments that we might not be recognizing because of all the noisy things in our lives? Let us not miss the LORD’s presence, because we aren’t listening to those quieter moments, even the interior voices of our hearts and consciences.

Jesus intends to reveal something about himself, but the disciples don’t understand at first. This story of Jesus walking on the water dips back into the rich tradition of God’s power over the waters: through Moses, the people are able to cross through the sea as they flee Egypt and slavery (BTW, in Hebrew, it is “the sea of reed”); the Greek version changes it to “Red Sea”); the parting of the Jordan, so that people can enter the promised land (also parted by the prophets Elijah and Elisha); and especially, “[God] alone stretches out the heavens and treads upon the back of the sea” (Job 9:8). By the story of Jesus walking on the water, Jesus is shown to be divine, to be LORD. When Jesus says, “It is I” (literally, “I AM”) in the story, that is the Greek version of the divine name revealed to Moses at the burning bush (Ex 3)—and used many times in the Gospel of John.

At first the disciples are afraid; they think they see a ghost. Jesus assures them, “Take courage, it is I [= I AM]; do not be afraid.” In essence, Peter asks Jesus to “prove it”: “Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water.” But Peter doesn’t trust that Jesus, the I AM, can help him do so. Perhaps Peter also learns that it is the LORD who belongs on the water, and Peter belongs in the boat—an early symbol for the Church. Nevertheless, Jesus’s epiphany, his manifestation, his revelation does take root in the disciples: “Those who were in the boat did him homage, saying, ‘Truly, you are the Son of God.’”

However you and we Frs. Tims see the LORD’s presence—in a “tiny whispering sound” or in calming what is tossing us about like the waves and the winds in the Gospel story—let us ‘do him hom-

age’, that is worship him and give him praise. May we also know that for right now, the LORD wants us in the boat—in the Church, and in the domestic Churches in our homes. Let us support one another in faith!

Mass Intentions are quite low: If you wish to submit some Mass intentions, they can be sent in (PO Box 39, Breda, 51436) or given to one of us Frs. Tims. Here are reminders for doing so:

- The standard offering for one Mass stipend is \$10.
- So we can keep Mass stipends in a separate account please submit an envelope in which you put the intentions and the stipend offering in cash or as a separate check (to Fr. Tim Friedrichsen or Fr. Tim Pick, so it can endorsed & deposited in Mass account).
- In order to honor your requests within a year, please submit no more than 5 intentions at any one time.
- Intentions are to be “specific”, not general (e.g. “special intention”), so: for a person or persons (up to 3 individual names in any one intention), a named cause (e.g., protection of life; racial justice), etc. Intentions are to be in keeping with Catholic Church teaching.
- Specific dates/times may be requested, and every effort will be made to accommodate those requests.

If you should have additional questions, please email or talk to one of us Frs. Tims.

For some weeks, **Catholic Charities** has been offering “Mental Health Monday” videos that address coping strategies and good mental health during this pandemic. They are easily accessed under the “Resources” drop down menu on their website, cathchar.com. You can also learn about other services that Catholic Charities provides by navigating their website.

Kuemper Century Club has kicked off it's annual drive to support ALL Kuemper Activities. Please consider becoming a Century Club member, renewing your membership or upgrading your membership. Century Club passes will now admit the cardholder to all Jr. High home games and meets as well as all High School, non-tournament, home games and meets. There are five (5) giving levels, starting at \$90 for one pass up to \$500 to join the President's Club. Passes are valued at over \$425 each! **NEW THIS YEAR:** Passes will now be made of hard plastic and will have the member's name and a barcode on them. The cards will **NEED TO BE SCANNED AT EACH EVENT** to gain admittance. To get your passes in time to attend the first home volleyball or football game, go to kuemper.org/centuryclub or mail in your payment to Century Club, 116 S. East St., Carroll, IA 51401 **BY AUGUST 10TH**. More information about each level of support is on the Kuemper website noted above, or you may call Cindy Lawler at 712-792-2212. Century Club Co-Chairs and workers will start delivering passes to all paid members the week of August 17th. Thank you for your support!!

The **Kuemper Junior class** will be hosting an **After Prom Can Drive** on Saturday, August 15, 8-11 a.m. There will be curbside pickup due to Covid19 or you can drop your cans off at the Kuemper Fieldhouse. **No glass** bottles, please. There will also be a drop box located just East of the Casey's across from Taco Johns from Friday, August 7th to Tuesday, Sept. 1st.

Carroll Catholic Religious Education (CCRE), under Den Tim Murphy’s leadership, hopes to create a great partnership of catechists and parents so that this religious education can be very fruitful for the entire family’s faith life, however classes proceed (on site, online or combination).

CCRE registrations are due August 15. Forms are available at St. John Paul II office or online (Google Carroll CCRE). To receive sacraments next year, 1st and 9th graders must attend this and next year’s classes.

Catechists are needed for most grades (K-10) for Carroll reli-

gious education this fall. Please consider volunteering; contact Deacon Tim Murphy at 792-0513 for more information.

The American Red Cross Blood Drive Tuesday, August 11, American Legion Hall, Arcadia, 12:30-5:30 pm. An appointment is advised. To set up an appointment, contact Sue at 712-689-2318 or visit RedCrossBlood.org. Masks are required.

ST. BERNARD-BREDA

THE PARISH OFFICE IN BREDA will be closed this week (see above).

Condolences and prayers for the family and friends of Larry "Fred" Boeckman, especially his wife, Jeanne. — Saints of God, come to his aid! Come to meet him, angels of the Lord! Receive his soul and present him to God most high!

Everyone is welcome at the **Friendship Meeting** on Tuesday, August 11, 8:30 a.m., Kay's Korner.

The **St. Bernard Birthday Committee** will be celebrating the August 21 birthday of Janet Snyder with a card shower. She will be pleased to receive lots of birthday wishes. Her address is: St. Anthony Nursing Home, 406 E. Anthony St., Carroll.

MINISTERS-August 16

Reader: Becky Vonnahme

Money Counters: Mary Lou Hermsen, Linda Steinkamp

Ushers: Randy/Lori Snyder, Bentley Wernimont, Mike Koster

Stewardship for August 2

Adult \$5,160.00; Loose \$900.01; Catholic School Support \$100.00; Guild Dues \$35.00; Bulletin Revenue \$150.00

*Budgeted expenses for 7/1/19—6/30/2020 = \$306,272.26
Income for 7/1/19—6/30/2020 = \$178,911.79 (includes \$17,095.78 from Special Events fund and \$10,000 from SB Trust)
Kuemper Investment update: 2019/20 assessment: \$209,306.74
Monthly Payment Due: \$17,445.08
where the parish is on that assessment: paid thru 10/15/2019*

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST-ARCADIA

St. John the Baptist Statue: Thank you, **Jerome Henkenius**, for the excellent job you did cleaning, power washing, and applying sealant to the statue of our patron. He looks great—better than he did in real life! :))

Thank you, **Melvin Berger**, for shoring up a bulge in the **stained glass window** by the side altar with the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary. You did a great job, which will shore up the window for some time to come!

MINISTERS-August 16

Reader: Shirley Tomka

Ushers: Chris/Brenda Johnson, Margaret Gruba

Stewardship for August 2

Adult \$3,625.00; Bazaar Fund I \$300.00; Improvement Fund \$5.00; Retirement Fund for Religious \$200.00; Guild Dues \$10.00

*Budgeted expenses for 7/1/19—6/30/2020 = \$252,271.65
Income for 7/1/19—6/30/2020 = \$204,225.19 [includes \$40,000.00 withdrawn from Catholic Schools Foundation]
Kuemper Investment update: 2019/20 assessment: \$161,976.07
Monthly Payment Due: \$13,498.01
where the parish is on that assessment: paid thru 12/15/2019*

OUR LADY OF MOUNT-MOUNT CARMEL

MINISTERS-August 16

Rosary Leaders: Norman/Diane Schettler

Reader: Gary Schmitz

Ushers: David Wittry, Dean/Michelle Pudenz, Mike Wiederin

Stewardship for August 2

Adult \$1,430.00; Youth \$2.00; Loose \$32.00; Parish Center [rental] \$550.00

*Budgeted expenses for 7/1/19—6/30/2020 = \$245,594.76
Income for 7/1/19—6/30/2020 = \$157,793.90 (includes \$27,239.83 of 150th celebration money to pay Kuemper)
Kuemper Investment update: 2019/20 assessment: \$131,474.08
Monthly Payment Due: \$10,956.17
where the parish is on that assessment: paid thru 11/30/2019*

ST. AUGUSTINE-HALBUR **Holy Angels MWS**

The **Halbur Development Corporation** will hold a 4 person **Best Ball 18 hole Golf Outing** on Saturday, August 29 at the Breda golf course. 11 AM shotgun start, \$40 per person and a cart is extra. Contact the Breda Golf Course at 712-673-4653 to reserve a spot. Lots of fun and prizes. Proceeds go to Halbur Development community projects.

MINISTERS-August 16

Reader: Jeanne Riesberg

Ushers: Sara Riesenberg, Matt Hinners, Al Eischeid

Stewardship for August 2

Adult \$3,625.00; Loose \$10.00; SA Candle Money \$16.00; Rent \$50.00; Bulletin Revenue \$150.00

*Budgeted expenses for 7/1/19—6/30/2020 = \$227,782.02
Income for 7/1/19—6/30/2020 = \$160,074.95 (includes \$7,500 from parish raffle)
Kuemper Investment update: 2018/19 assessment: \$134,442.58
Monthly Payment Due: \$11,203.55
Kuemper Investment update: 2019/20 assessment: \$151,458.14
Monthly Payment Due: \$12,621.51
where the parish is on these assessments: paid thru 4/30/2019*

SACRED HEART-TEMPLETON

MINISTERS-August 15

Reader: Gene Langel

Ushers: Gene/Tricia Langel

Stewardship for August 2

Adult \$1,540.00; Loose \$80.00; Bulletin Revenue \$150.00

*Budgeted expenses for 7/1/19—6/30/2020 = \$246,922.49
Income for 7/1/19—6/30/2020 = \$212,287.03 (includes \$23,151.81 from Celebration fund and \$7,500 from Guild to pay Kuemper)
Kuemper Investment update: 2019/20 assessment: \$165,131.45
Monthly Payment Due: \$12,979.14
where the parish is on that assessment: paid thru 12/15/2019*

ST. ELIZABETH SETON-GLIDDEN

Stewardship for August 2

Adult \$355.00; Loose \$10.00

PERSONS WISHING TO JOIN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, whether baptized in another faith or unbaptized and over the age of seven [7], may contact the pastor at any time of the year to begin the process known as RCIA [Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults]/ RCIC [Rite of Christian Initiation of Children].

BAPTISM CLASS is being offered for parents who are having a child baptized for the first time in one of the parishes of CTKCC. The class will be offered at **6:30 p.m. the third Thursday of odd numbered months** (Jan., March, May, July, Sept., Nov.) at **Holy Spirit in Carroll**. PLEASE email one of the Frs. Tims to let them know when you will be attending.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION is to begin 6-12 months before the wedding day. If either the bride or the groom is not a Catholic or has been previously married, additional time may be necessary for preparation. Please contact the pastor so that all preparations may be completed in time for the wedding and marriage. Remember, a wedding is just a day, a marriage is a **LIFETIME!**

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