



# GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC PARISH (GSCP)

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**2025 February 2**

**THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD**

## LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Monday, February 3		
8:30am	No Rosary @ St. Augustine	Halbur
Tuesday, February 4		
8:00am	Kuemper Catholic Eternal Knights	Breda
Wednesday, February 5		
8:00am	Norma Henkenius+	Arcadia
8:30am	Rosary @ Holy Angels	Roselle
Thursday, February 6		
8:00am	Mary Lou Rotert+	Breda
Friday, February 7		
8:00am	Special Intention of V.R.	Templeton
8:30am	First Friday Adoration	Templeton
6:00pm	First Friday Adoration	Mt. Carmel
<b>Sat., February 8</b>	<b>THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	
<b>5:30pm</b>	<b>Paul &amp; Julia Koster+</b>	<b>Breda</b>
<b>Sun., February 9</b>	<b>THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	
<b>8:00am</b>	<b>Travis Rohe+ &amp; For the People of GSCP</b>	<b>Arcadia</b>
<b>10:00am</b>	<b>L/D Members of the Tanner Nieland Family</b>	<b>Templeton</b>

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is AVAILABLE 1/2 HOUR  
BEFORE WEEKEND and WEEKDAY MASSES  
or BY APPOINTMENT**



### **OFFICE in Breda**

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**ST JOHN THE BAPTIST, Arcadia**

**ST BERNARD, Breda**

**SACRED HEART, Templeton**

**ST AUGUSTINE, Halbur**

**OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL,  
Mt. Carmel**

**HOLY ANGELS, Roselle**

### **PASTOR**

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### **PARISH RENTAL CONTACTS**

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**St. John Parish Hall**  
Call Julie Eich 712-689-2595

**St. Augustine Parish Hall/Gym**  
Call Julie Eich or Cindy Lawler

**Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish Hall**  
Call Michelle Pudenz 712-830-8327

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ARE DUE WEDNESDAY EVENINGS**  
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## ALL PARISH NEWS

**Congratulations to Andrew and Morgan (Eischeid) Irlbeck** on the baptism of their son, **Carter Joseph**, at Sacred Heart Church on January 26, 2025. **Carter Joseph**, welcome to the Catholic Church and Good Shepherd Parish.

**Briar Cliff Sunday is THIS WEEKEND.** Funds collected will help fund scholarships to provide students with an opportunity to attend Briar Cliff University – the only Catholic university in the diocese. Thank you for your participation.

**World Day for Consecrated Life** will be celebrated in the Church on Sunday, February 2 and in parishes over the weekend of February 1/2. Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation.

**Position Available:** Cindy Lawler will be retiring in July. The Good Shepherd Finance Council will now be accepting applications for the position of Bookkeeper/Administrative Assistant. This is a part-time position, typically 20 hours per week with the expectation that there will be times that more hours will be required. Skills needed: Good communication skills, a working knowledge of Excel, Word, QuickBooks and Publisher. The Bookkeeper/Admin Asst. is responsible for completing all financial transactions for the parish in a timely and efficient manner. A two year associate degree in accounting or business administration or equivalent work experience in a related field is preferred. Please email Cindy at the Parish office to request a job description and a link to the job application at [goodshepherd@westianet.net](mailto:goodshepherd@westianet.net) or call 712-673-2582.



**First Communion** for Good Shepherd students will be over the weekend of March 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> during the regular weekend Masses (St. Bernard, St. John and Sacred Heart). Email Cindy at [goodshepherd@westianet.net](mailto:goodshepherd@westianet.net) to let her know which church your child will be receiving First Communion. Further instructions will follow.

**Position Opening: Parish Development Director St. John Paul II Parish and Good Shepherd Parish is seeking a Catholic in good standing for the position of a Parish Development Director.** This position is responsible for designing and implementing an annual stewardship program that promotes gifts of time, talent and treasure. Enhance parish offertory by educating parishioners on parameters of each program and inspiring their generosity. A business-related bachelor's degree preferred or equivalent amount of work experience and education. Must have knowledge of, and commitment to, Christian teaching on stewardship, working knowledge of the Catholic Church, and a personal sense of spiritual growth. Must have a minimum 3-5 years combined experience and demonstrated success in directing the following: fundraising and development programs, sales, administration, marketing, and communications (print and electronic media). Must also possess proven leadership, organizational and collaboration skills with emphasis on planning and managing a variety of functions in both individual and team settings. Possess the ability to establish relationships with a vari-

ety of constituencies, including volunteers and prospective donors. Must be well-organized with attention to detail. Proficiency in Microsoft Office software required, familiarity with donor software helpful. Must possess excellent communication skills, including the ability to deal tactfully with the public and to handle projects and organize multiple tasks. Confidentiality regarding donor information and all office matters required. Full job description is on the parish website [www.stjp2carroll.org](http://www.stjp2carroll.org) Competitive compensation/benefit package including 401K. Position available immediately and will remain open until filled. Send cover letter with salary requirements, resume, and 3 professional references to: Rachel Nepper, Director of Operations Email: [rnepper@stjp2carroll.org](mailto:rnepper@stjp2carroll.org) St. John Paul II Parish, 1607 N West St., Carroll, IA 51401.

### **Kuemper's Upcoming Important Dates:**

**Mon., Feb. 3:** Prospective Family School Tour Day, 9am

**Wed., Feb. 5:** Grades 7-12 Mass, 2:15pm

**Thurs., Feb. 6:** Kuemper Foundation Board Mtg., 4pm; Father Kuemper Chapter of the National Honor Society Initiation at Collison Hall, 6pm

**Sat., Feb. 8:** Fairytale Ball at KHS Gym, 1pm; Winter Wonderland Dance at KHS Gym, 7pm

**Enjoy Sister Anne Marie Walsh, SOLT**, sharing her vocation story, growing up in the 1960s during turbulent times in society and the church. Her ministry with the Society of Our Lady of the Trinity ranges from writing for Lumen Media to retreat master and conference speaker. Also learn more about Domus Trinitatis near Willey and what that facility offers to the diocesan area. Podcasts can be found on <https://www.lumenmedia.org/illuminating-catholics-podcast>.

St. JP II will be having a **Staley's Chicken Dinner** is **TO-DAY, February 2, 4-6:30pm** at the **Greteman Center**. Dine in or Carry out available. Suggested donation: Adult \$14; Children \$8.



The **Arcadia Ehlers-Gerken Legion Post 694 Fundraising Breakfast** will be held on **Sunday, February 9 at the Arcadia Legion Hall from 8am-12:30pm**. Serving eggs, potatoes, sausage, pastries & beverages. Free will donation to help with ongoing expenses.

**Prom Closet Shopping Saturdays 2025** will be February 8, 15, 22 & March 1. The Prom Closet provides gently used prom gowns, shoes, and accessories and carries sizes 00-28. Private appointments begin February 20th. Call or text Dona @ 712-830-7825. Located at the Ascension Lutheran Church, Coon Rapids. We accept donations of gently used, current floor-length gowns all year 'round as well. Text Dona for drop-off locations, or bring yours to shopping days/appointments.

## ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST, ARCADIA

**HELP IS NEEDED** locating the float from the 125th Celebration. If anyone knows the whereabouts of it, please contact the office at St. John's.

**St. John's 150th Celebration** will be held on **Saturday, August 30**. We will once again be offering a **Fleece Tie Blanket Stand**. In order to do this well, we need the help of as many of our parishioners as possible. We are asking families to do one of the following:

- **Make a fleece tie blanket or donate one** (all blankets must be new)—adult blankets are to be 72 x 60 (2 yds.), while blankets for children are to be at least 54 x 60 (1 1/2 yds.).
- **Donate \$40 to have volunteers make one for your family.** Please send donations to Marlene Hoffmann, 425 Dunlap St., Arcadia.

A tag with the **name of the family** that made or donated the blanket will be attached to the blanket when sold. Volunteers are needed to help cut and/or tie blankets either at home or with a group that will meet in the church hall (days & times TBA). If you are interested in helping or have questions, please call Marlene Hoffmann 790-2473.

### **MINISTERS-February 9**

**Reader:** Sheila Higgins

**Servers:** Kaylie & Kenadie Wolterman

**Ushers/Greeters/Gifts:** Bob & Julie Steinkamp

**EMHC:** Julie Steinkamp, Maureen Freese, Mary Pat Venner, Pat Vogl, Choir

## ST. BERNARD, BRED A

**Rosary Leaders are needed** before Mass at St. Bernard's on Saturday evenings. Leaders are expected to start the rosary 20 minutes prior to Mass. If you're uncomfortable leading the rosary alone, Pat Koster or Jean Grote would be happy to lead with you at first. Contact Mary Lou Grabner at 712-210-7303 if you'd like to become a Rosary Leader. Contact Pat at 712-673-0199 or Jean at 712-673-2515 if you'd like one of them to lead with you a time or two at first. Thank you.

### **MINISTERS-February 8**

**Rosary Leader:** Jennifer Koster

**Greeters:** Brian & Kayla Tiefenthaler

**Reader:** Scott Masching

**Servers:** Dylan & Colten Conley

**Gift Bearers:** Brian & Kayla Tiefenthaler

**Ushers:** Mike Koster, Dave Grote

**Body of Christ:** Rosie Wernimont

**Blood of Christ:** Mary Snyder, Jennifer Koster

**February \$\$ Counters:** Arlene Mueggenberg, Lois Reiff

## SACRED HEART, TEMPLETON

If anyone would look to order 4H fruit and butter braids, please let the Wolterman's know at 830-5002.

### **MINISTERS-February 9**

**Reader:** Holly Warner

**Server:** Lauren & Katelynn Gehling

**EMHC:** Ken Behrens, Jodie Wieland, Diane Meiners  
**Church Cleaners (wk of 2/9):** Tim/Tina Balk, Mark/Melanie Bauer

## ST. AUGUSTINE, HALBUR

**Condolences and prayers** to the family and friends of **Shirley Blum**. *Saints of God, come to her aid! Come to meet her, angels of the Lord! Receive her soul and present her to God most high!*

**HDC Trivia Night**-Featuring Low Expectations, February 8, 7pm at the Halbur Gym. \$125 for registration after February 1. Contact Mindi at 712-830-8419 to register, BYOB and snacks.

## OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL, MOUNT CARMEL

The **Mt. Carmel Annual Pancake Breakfast** is fast approaching. This annual event is a tremendous success and your input and assistance is needed and appreciated. **There will be a planning meeting at the Mt. Carmel hall TODAY, Sunday, February 2, 4pm.** Hope to see you there.

## HOLY ANGELS, ROSELLE

4R's Tavern in Roselle will be having Euchre on the following Sundays: **February 23, March 9 and March 23** from 1:00 – 5:00. All skill levels invited and snacks provided.

There will be a **poker tournament** at 4R's in Roselle on February 4, 7pm.

### **Stewardship Weekend of January 25 & 26**

Adult	\$5,560.00
Youth	4.00
Loose Offering	662.00
Kuemper Support	1,100.00
Candle Money	175.75
Guild Dues—SH	25.00
Briar Cliff	30.00
Catholic Order of Foresters-John Wittry	6,370.00
Cemetery Income—St. Bernard	700.00
Choir—St. Augustine	100.00



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

**BAPTISM CLASS** is offered to couples who are having a child baptized for the first time in one of the churches of Good Shepherd Catholic Parish. —New parents, CONGRATS! PLEASE email Fr. Roder so a day and time for the class can be scheduled with you (there might be more than one couple attending, which is a good thing!).

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION:** It is advisable to begin this at least 9 months before the wedding day. If either the bride or the groom was previously married and has not yet done the annulment process, that will be necessary before marriage preparation can begin. Please contact Fr. Roder so that all preparations may be completed in time for the wedding and marriage. Remember, the wedding is just a day, while marriage is a LIFETIME!

**NEW PARISHIONERS** may register in the parish of their choice by visiting the website (<http://gscpcarrollco.org/parish-registration>), choosing the “ABOUT” drop-down menu, clicking on Parish Registration, and completing the form. WELCOME!

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