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**SACRED HEART, Templeton**

**ST AUGUSTINE, Halbur**  
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**Mt. Carmel**

**HOLY ANGELS, Roselle**

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**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
**ARE DUE WEDNESDAY EVENINGS**  
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**2025 March 2**

**THE EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

## LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Monday, March 3		
8:30am	No Rosary @ St. Augustine	Halbur
Tuesday, March 4		
8:00am	Albert & Marian Berning+	Breda
Wed., March 5	<b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b>	
7:30am	Mass Intention for E.H.	Templeton
8:30am	Rosary @ Holy Angels	Roselle
12:00pm	Ashes Only Service	Arcadia
6:00pm	Stacey Wiederin+	Breda
Thursday, March 6		
8:00am	Cathleen Wessling+	Breda
Friday, March 7		
8:00am	Rev. Tim Topf+	Templeton
8:30am	First Friday Adoration	Templeton
Saturday, March 8	<b>THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	
5:30pm	Bob & Dorothy Heisterkamp+ & the Harold Uhlenkamp Family	Breda
Sunday, March 9	<b>THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	
8:00am	Bob & Rosie Pottebaum+ & For the People of GSCP	Arcadia
10:00am	L/D of the Cyril & Helen Behrens Family	Templeton

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

*Ash*   
*Wednesday*

## ALL PARISH NEWS

**The Parish Office** will be closed on Tuesday morning, March 11, but will be open from 1:30-3:30 in the afternoon. Cindy will be out of the office from March 13-20. Julie will be in the office in Breda on Friday, March 14, 9:30-11:30 and Tuesday, March 18, 7:30-10:30.

There will be **NO** First Friday Adoration on Friday evening, March 7.

**THE ANNUAL COLLECTION FOR AID TO GLOBAL CHURCHES** will be held on the First Sunday of Lent, March 8-9. You are invited to participate in the special collection to benefit the Church in Africa, Latin America, and Eastern Europe, and the bishops' charity organization CRS to help build churches and schools, train and educate priests and laypeople, publish Catholic newspapers, sustain orphanages, evangelize, and catechize children and adults, and provide scholarships to Catholic students. Thank you for your generosity to make a difference in building up the Church in Central and Eastern Europe, Africa, Latin America, and other places in need of our assistance.

**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.

**The Good Shepherd Finance Council** has fielded many inquiries about the former St. Bernard school building and has provided close to a dozen tours over the last six months. However, no bids for purchase have been formally submitted yet. Therefore, the building still presents an opportunity for the right investor. Please help spread the word. If anyone is interested in scheduling a tour, contact Becky Vonnahme at 712-210-4974. The building has lots of life left in it and we'd love to see it repurposed to better serve the community.

### GSCP Important Dates & Extra Reconciliation Services:

**March 9:** Extra reconciliation at St. Bernard, 2:30-3:30

**March 15:** **Tom & Patty Simons 55th Wedding Anniv.,** 4:30pm Mass at Holy Angels (Fr. Schrad)

**March 18:** ***The Light Is On For You***, 5-7pm—Fr. Roder hearing confessions during Eucharistic Adoration at St. John

**March 23:** **Mt. Carmel Parish Breakfast, 8am Mass** at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

**March 29/30:** **First Communion** at GSCP

**April 6:** Extra reconciliation at Sacred Heart, after Mass until noon and at St. John, 2:30-3:30

Be sure to listen to the latest episode of **illuminating Catholics**. Terry Hegarty, executive director of Trinity Heights, Queen of Peace Shrine in Sioux City is well-versed in the history of this diocesan shrine and shares stories behind the growth of Trinity Heights. As the shrine is one of the diocesan jubilee sites for the Year of Hope, Hegarty welcomes all pilgrims to come and see the features of the site and see the progress on their new chapel.

Listen wherever you get your podcasts or go to [www.lumenmedia.org/illuminating-catholics-podcast](http://www.lumenmedia.org/illuminating-catholics-podcast).

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

**Tues., Mar. 4:** Religion Bee at Fr. Dodge St. Edmond

**Wed., Mar. 5:** Ash Wed.-All School Mass, 8:20am

**Thurs., Mar. 6:** Education Celebration at the State Capitol in Des Moines (7th & 8th Student Council attending); Parade of Bands Concert, 7pm, KHS gym

The highly anticipated **Kuemper Ball** is set for **May 3rd at the Kuemper Fieldhouse**, and preparations are already underway! Volunteers have begun reaching out to the community, gathering donations and raffle ticket sales. This is a great opportunity to support the Kuemper community! Supporters can donate now directly at [kuemper.org/ball](http://kuemper.org/ball). Don't miss out on this fun and impactful event!

**"Spreading Seeds of Hope to the World".** Single women 19-45 years are invited to discern your vocation, **March 7-8, 2025** in Dubuque, Iowa. Meet Sisters from different congregations and learn how to discern God's loving plan for you. Together we'll uncover how your gifts can inspire hope, healing and transformation in the world around you." See poster and QR code to register. [www.dava.org](http://www.dava.org). For more information, contact Sr. Janet May, [mayj@osfdbq.org](mailto:mayj@osfdbq.org).

All are invited to a **Magnificat Retreat** on **Saturday, March 22, 9am-3pm** at Immaculate Conception in Cherokee. Our day will be spent answering God's call to *Come Away and Abide in Me*. We will *come away* as we learn to walk in our true identity, and we will *abide in Him* as we learn to hear Him speak. **Registration is \$30 and due by March 12.** Registration and more information is available at our website <http://magnificat-iowa.com>.

**St. Rose of Lima #6 Catholic Daughters** will meet on **Thursday, March 6** at the Family Table at **5pm**. We will have the rosary, dinner and business meeting. No reservations are needed.

St. Rose of Lima #6 Catholic Daughters will be awarding a **\$200 Scholarship to one 8th grade student planning to attend Kuemper Catholic High School this fall**. It is non denominational and requires a short essay. The deadline is May 1st & applications will be available at the schools or by contacting Bev Vonnahme at 712-249-1308.

**St. Paddy's Day Puzzle Party**, sponsored by TCBA, will be held on **Sunday, March 16**, at the Templeton City Park Shelter House from 1-4pm. Teams of 2-8 people, 1000 piece puzzle, 2 hr. time limit. Cash prizes!! \$15/person, BYOB & snacks.

REGISTER HERE:



## **LENTEN FISH FRY'S**

- \* **March 7:** St. Joseph's, Dedham, Dedham Legion, 5-8pm
- \* **March 21:** St. Joseph's, Dedham, Dedham Legion 5-8pm
- \* **March 28:** Arcadia Fire Dept. Drive Thru Fundraiser; Arcadia Fire Station; 5-8pm. Approach from the west on Head St., \$13
- \* **April 4:** Sacred Heart, Templeton Fish Fry, 5-7:30, Templeton Center



### ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST, ARCADIA

**Condolences and prayers** to the family and friends of **Ron Sundrup**. *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!*

We have a few **150th Sweatshirt Hoodies** available for \$25. If interested, please contact Pat Vogl, 790-2400.

**St. John's 150th Celebration, Honoring Our Past, Embracing Our Future**, will be held on **Saturday, August 30**. The 150th Committee has been working hard on organizing a fun-filled weekend. **Profits from the 150th will go towards repairs at St. John's, such as tuckpointing, roof repairs, interior painting and a new handicap lift. \*\*Our next meeting will be Tuesday, March 25, 6pm\*\***

#### **MINISTERS-March 9**

**Reader:** Joel Dentlinger

**Servers:** Ryan & Luke Sundrup

**Ushers/Greeters/Gifts:** Rick & Erin Sundrup

**EMHC:** Joel & Sheila Dentlinger, Maureen Freese, Pat Vogl, Choir

### ST. BERNARD, BRED A

**Stations of the Cross** will be offered on Thursday mornings following the 8am Mass in Breda during Lent.

Choir practice will be held on **Saturday, March 8, 5pm**, in the school. New voices welcome to join us anytime!

You are invited to an Open House Birthday Party to celebrate **Harold (Harry) Uhlenkamp's 90th birthday** on **Sunday, March 9, 10:00-12noon at the Mary Nieland Center**. Coffee and rolls will be served. The upstairs Memory Rooms that hold articles and information of the school and church will also be open for anyone who would enjoy seeing them. Arlene will be available to show you around.

#### **MINISTERS-March 8**

**Rosary Leader:** Jean Grote

**Greeters:** Chuck & Mary Thatcher

**Reader:** Scott Masching

**Servers:** Molly Tiefenthaler, Addison Eischeid

**Gift Bearers:** Nathan & Kayla Nieland

**Ushers:** Chris Koster, Mike Koster

**Body of Christ:** Randy Snyder

**Blood of Christ:** Mary Thatcher, Chris Koster

**March \$\$ Counters:** Muriel McDermott, Mary Lou Grabner

### SACRED HEART, TEMPLETON

#### **MINISTERS-March 9**

**Reader:** Holly Warner

**Server:** Lauren & Katelynn Gehling

**EMHC:** Ken Behrens, Jodie Wieland, Diane Meiners

**Church Cleaners (wk of 3/09):** Ben/Sheri Danner, Rich/Nancy Danner

### ST. AUGUSTINE, HALBUR

**Rosary** will resume at St. Augustine, Halbur on Monday, March 10, 8:30am. We will have rosary and the Stations of the Cross during Lent.

### OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL, MOUNT CARMEL

**SAVE THE DATE...**the annual **Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Pancake Breakfast** and **prize raffle** will be held on **March 23rd**. If you have a raffle item(s) that you would like to donate, please contact Annette (Netter) Haberl at 712-210-2915 for more details. Your generosity is greatly appreciated! Fr. Roder will offer an **8am Mass** at **Our Lady of Mt. Carmel**.

### HOLY ANGELS, ROSELLE

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

#### **Stewardship Weekend of February 22 & 23**

Adult	\$10,353.00
Youth	4.00
Loose Offering	1,674.00
Kuemper Support-GSCP	650.00
Candle Money	118.00
Cemetery Donation-SB	2,000.00
Building Improvements-Holy Angels	340.00
Rentals	525.00
Choir-Nieland funeral at SB	100.00
Ameriprise-SB Endowment	8,000.00
Dividends-Templeton Telephone	2,000.00



**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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