



# GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC PARISH (GSCP)

ST JOHN THE BAPTIST,  
Arcadia

ST BERNARD, Breda  
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ST AUGUSTINE, Halbur  
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CARMEL, Mt. Carmel  
HOLY ANGELS, Roselle

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BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS ARE  
DUE WEDNESDAY EVENINGS  
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2025 September 7 TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Monday, September 8

8:30am Rosary @ St. Augustine

9:30am Tour group from Boone

Halbur  
Mt. Carmel

Tuesday, September 9

8:00am Albert & Marian Berning+

Breda

Wednesday, September 10

8:00am L/D of the Howard Vaughan Family

Arcadia

8:30am Rosary @ Holy Angels

Roselle

Thursday, September 11

8:00am Dec.'d Members of the Connie Lou Nieland Family

Breda

Friday, September 12

8:00am Mary Ludwig+

Templeton

Saturday, Sept. 13 THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

5:30pm Joanie Buelt+

Breda

Sunday, Sept. 14 THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

8:00am Leo "Pete" Berning+

Arcadia

10:00am Glenn Behrens+ & For the People of GSCP

Templeton

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



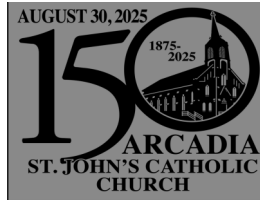
## ALL PARISH NEWS



Many **THANKS** for the prayers, cards and memorial gifts on the passing of my brother, Marvin Roder. Also **THANKS** for the cards and gifts on the occasion of my birthday.  
~Fr. Roder

**THANK YOU, THANK YOU** for ALL the incredible support for St. John's 150th Celebration. Thank you to our sponsors, donors, workers and any others who helped make this day a HUGE success.

~Fr. Roder & St. John Church



**MARK YOUR CALENDARS:** Saturday, September 20 Mass at St. Bernard will be at 4pm in order for people to attend the Breda Town's 150th Dinner Event on Main. **AND on Sunday, Sept. 21, there will be NO 8am MASS at St. John, instead a 10:30am Mass for Mae Wuebker's 100th birthday and for all parishioners.**

**A Holy Spirit Missionary Priest will be at all Good Shepherd churches the weekend of September 13/14, as this years' mission appeal. He will be speaking on behalf of the Holy Spirit old age home in India.**

**Save the Date** for St. Augustine's Dedication Mass on Sunday, November 9, 9am. A breakfast serving scrambled eggs, sausage, donuts & rolls will be from 8:30-11:30. The annual cash raffle drawing will also take place.

A tour group from Boone will be visiting **OLMC on Monday, September 8 for a 9:30am Mass** with Fr. Lynn Bruch presiding. Everyone is invited to attend. This tour group will also be touring other churches in Carroll County.

Be sure to watch for the latest weekly Catholic content uploading on Sept. 5 at [lumenmedia.org](https://www.lumenmedia.org) and in the next LumeNotes landing in your inbox. Plans are underway for the fall Called Youth Conference; the Humboldt Salt and Light ministry reaches teens beyond confirmation; the SOLT community has a new take on welcoming young women to Domus Trinitatis; How will TAO benefit your parish and fellow Catholics? Also, Grace Notes column, area news, photos and the Illuminating Catholics podcast. Subscribe for free at [lumenmedia.org](https://www.lumenmedia.org) or text Notes to 84576.

**Illuminating Catholics shines a light on the Women's Gathering speaker.** Elizabeth Kelly of Blessed is She and Word on Fire is our guest on the latest podcast. She is the author of Love Like a Saint, the theme of the Nov.

15 Women's Gathering. Learn more about Liz, the book, the conference and her unique ministry. Listen wherever you get your podcasts, on the *Diocese of Sioux City YouTube channel* or at <https://www.lumenmedia.org/illuminating-catholics-podcast>.

**Christian Initiation Workshop:** Have you ever won-

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JOIN US FOR THE WOMEN'S 2025 FALL

# WELCOME RETREAT

October 25-26, 2025

At the beautiful Domus Trinitatis Retreat Center just outside of Carroll, Iowa.

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Joleen Schultz (712) 790-4382  
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**Welcome.**  
There is More to Life.

What is Welcome? It's a overnight retreat hosted by our Carroll County Catholic parishes. It was formerly known as Christ Renews His Parish.

Does your life feel overwhelming? Do you sense that somethings missing in your life? Welcome is an incredible experience that will help you make sense of life, help you develop lasting friendships with other women in the parish, improve your prayer life and fill you with newfound energy and purpose. It's held at the Domus Trinitatis Retreat Center and it's entirely FREE.

dered how someone becomes a baptized member of the **Church?** Learn more at the OCIA workshop, "The Vision of Christian Initiation Ministry." This workshop is scheduled for Saturday, September 27 from 9:30 AM to 2:30 PM at St. Mary's Parish Center in Storm Lake (300 E Third Street). All are welcome! There is no cost to attend. Please RSVP at [scdiocese.org/OCIA](https://www.scdiocese.org/OCIA).

**Registration for the 2025 Women's Gathering, Love Like a Saint, is now open!** This event is scheduled for Saturday, November 15 at St. Edmond Catholic School in Fort Dodge. Liz Kelly, a contributor to Blessed is She and the Word on Fire Institute will serve as the keynote speaker. In addition to the keynotes, the day will include Adoration, small groups, a vendor market, and more! Register at [www.scdiocese.org/gathering](https://www.scdiocese.org/gathering). If you have any questions about the women's gathering, please contact Maddie McLarty at [maddiem@scdiocese.org](mailto:maddiem@scdiocese.org).

### **Kuemper News:**

**Mon., Sept. 8:** Picture Day for grades TK-6

**Tues., Sept. 9:** Picture Day for 3 & 4 year old preschool and grades 7-12

**Wed., Sept. 10:** Marketing Mtg., 11am

**Fri., Sept. 12:** All School Mass, 8:20

## ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST, ARCADIA

**On Sunday, Sept. 21, there will be NO 8am MASS at St. John, instead at 10:30am for Mae Wuebker's 100th birthday and for all parishioners.**

Congratulations to the following **150th Cash Raffle** winners: \$500-John Heuton, Neil Vonnahme; \$250-Mae Wuebker, Trevor Beckendorf; \$100-Helen Sundrup, Jen Handlos, Mary Jo Berning, Tom Eich & Kyle Atkinson. Thank you to ALL who purchased tickets.

Special **THANKS** to **EVERYONE** who donated to the **FOOD DRIVE**. More information to follow regarding # of items and financial donations. **GOD BLESS YOU.**

~Joleen Mooney & Peg Scheidt

The St. John's Guild gives a **BIG THANK YOU** to all who helped in any way to make our 150th Fleece Blanket Sale a success! Whether it was a monetary donation, completed blanket or you helped tie or sell the blankets, we truly thank you.

The new ministry schedule for October-December will be prepared soon. Please let Julie know of any dates that **will not** work for you ASAP.

#### **MINISTERS-September 14**

**Reader:** Tucker Schroeder

**Server:** Mason Hoffman

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

**EMHC:** Maureen Freese, Amy Schroeder, Kayla Verner, Pat Vogl, Choir

#### **ST. BERNARD, BRED A**

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Saturday, September 20 mass at St. Bernard will be at 4pm in order for people to attend the Town's 150th Dinner Event on Main.**

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Choir practice on **Saturday, Sept. 13, 5pm** in the school. New voices welcome.

The Friendship Group will meet on **Tuesday, Sept. 9, 8:30am**, Kay's Corner. Everyone welcome.

#### **MINISTERS-September 13**

**Rosary Leader:** Jean Grote

**Greeters:** Jason & Shannon Reising

**Reader:** Maggie Steinkamp

**Servers:** Lauren & Emmett Lenz

**Gift Bearers:** Jason & Shannon Reising

**Ushers:** Bentley Wernimont, Brian Steinkamp

**EMHC:** Lori Snyder, Mary Snyder, Rosie Wernimont

**Sept. \$\$ Counters:** Muriel McDermott, Mary Lou Grabner

#### **SACRED HEART, TEMPLETON**

Save the date: Staley's Chicken Dinner, **Sunday, Nov. 9, 4-6:30pm.**

#### **MINISTERS-September 14**

**Reader:** Ken Behrens

**Servers:** Grace Wolterman, Mallory Weitzl

**EMHC:** Brian & Tricia Wolterman, Ken Behrens

**Church Cleaners (wk of 9/14):** Jerry/Kristy Weitzl, Jesse/Katie Weitzl

#### **ST. AUGUSTINE, HALBUR**

**Save the Date** for St. Augustine's Dedication Mass on Sunday, November 9, 9am. A breakfast serving scrambled eggs, sausage, donuts & rolls will be from 8:30-11:30. The annual cash raffle drawing will also take place.

#### **OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL, MOUNT CARMEL**

**Thank you for the anonymous donation of \$30,000 for the upkeep and repairs of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church.**

A tour group from Boone will be visiting **OLMC on Monday, September 8 for a 9:30am Mass** with Fr. Lynn Bruch presiding. Everyone is invited to attend. This tour group will also be touring other churches in Carroll County.

#### **HOLY ANGELS, ROSELLE**

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS:** Holy Angels will have a feast day Mass on Sunday, October 5, 9am.

#### **Stewardship**

#### **Weekend of August 30 & 31**

Adult	\$2,120.00
Youth	2.00
Loose Offering	899.00
Kuemper Support-GSCP	800.00
Candle Money	163.75



**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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