



GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC PARISH (GSCP)

ST JOHN THE BAPTIST,
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ST BERNARD, Breda
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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 December 14

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Monday, Dec. 15		
8:30am	Rosary @ St. Augustine	Halbur
Tuesday, December 16		
8:00am	Pat Koster+	Breda
Wednesday, December 17		
8:00am	Leona Schmitz+, Ron Sundrup+	Arcadia
8:30am	Rosary @ Holy Angels	Roselle
Thursday, December 18		
8:00am	Lisa Milne+	Breda
Friday, December 19		
8:00am	Joseph Louis Irlbeck+	Templeton
Saturday, Dec. 20	FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT	
5:30pm	Bob & Dorothy Heisterkamp+	Breda
Sunday, Dec. 21	FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT	
8:00am	Helen Higgins+ & Lorne & Gladys Steinkamp+	Arcadia
10:00am	Lawrence Handlos+ & Kim Marie Handlos+ & 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

There is a small Advent tree located in the narthex of all church sites to support the New Creations Pregnancy Resource Center. Tags are on the trees noting options of giving. Thank you for your generosity and help with this worthwhile project!

WINTER WEATHER NOTIFICATION: If school is 2 hours late or cancelled, there will be NO MASS that day. As always, please exercise caution when attending mass after a snowfall. If you do not feel comfortable walking on slippery sidewalks or steps, please choose to stay at home.

UPCOMING PENANCE SERVICES:

Sun., Dec. 14 @ Sacred Heart, 11am-noon

Sun., Dec. 14 @ St. Bernard, 3-4pm

Sun., Dec. 21 @ St. John, 3-4pm

For those who wish to mail a Christmas greeting to one of our retired diocesan priests, please use the chancery address and they will forward your envelope to them: Father (Name), c/o Sioux City Diocese, P.O. Box 3379, Sioux City, IA 51102-3379.

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S MASS TIMES:

Christmas Eve: Wed., Dec. 24, 4pm--St. John

Wed., Dec. 24, 4pm--Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Wed., Dec. 24, 4:30pm--Sacred Heart

Wed., Dec. 24, 6pm--Holy Angels

Christmas Day: Thurs., Dec. 25, 9am--St. Bernard

New Year's Eve: Wed., Dec. 31, 5:30pm--St. Bernard

New Year's Day: Thurs., Jan. 1, 8am--St. John
10am--Sacred Heart



Heal Hearts

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DIOCESAN ANNUAL CHRISTMAS COLLECTION FOR CATHOLIC CHARITIES. ALL MASSES - DEC. 24 & 25

The new ministries will be prepared for the 1st Quarter (Jan.-Mar.) of 2026. If you have any dates that **do not** work please notify Joni or Julie by **December 14**. **If you are interested in volunteering for a ministry, please contact one of the parish offices.**

Local Catholic news: Be sure to watch for the latest weekly Catholic content in the next LumeNotes landing in your inbox weekly available 24/7 at lumenmedia.org. Upcoming articles include – Bishop Keehner's bilingual letter of support for the Catholic Charities Christmas Collection, Sioux City Holy Cross's expanded library welcomes Catholics city-wide, Turn Youth Conference registrations open, Sheldon St. Patrick offers dual language preschool, a priest's long citizenship journey, Sister Anne Marie Walsh's Grace Notes. See our list of parish, school and diocesan events, area news, photos, and the Illuminating Catholics podcast. Subscribe for free at news@scdiocese.org or text Notes to 84576. Check your account to switch to text delivery!

Coming up in LumeNotes



- Bishop on the Catholic Charities Christmas Collection
- Holy Cross expanded library welcomes Catholics city-wide
- Turn Youth Conference planning underway
- Sheldon offers dual language preschool
- Father Esquillano's long citizenship journey
- Podcast: John Paul II Medical Research Institute
- Area news, school news, events and Illuminating Catholics

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Marriage is a journey!! A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend can help you enrich your marriage and add some pazazz to your journey. Whether you've been married 1 year or 50, a Marriage Encounter Weekend may be just the thing you need to put a breath of fresh air into your relationship. Upcoming weekends in 2026 are: February 13-15 in Dubuque, April 10-12 in Marshalltown, October 9-11 in Epworth. For more information call Denise and Greg at (563)920-9419 or register at wwme.org.



BREA COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE

Monday, December 22nd

2:00pm - 6:00pm

American Legion Hall
208 Main Street, Breda



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WALK INS WELCOME



Kuemper News:

Mon., Dec. 15: Finance Subcommittee Mtg., 12pm

Tues., Dec. 16: School Bd. Mtg., 5:30pm

Wed., Dec. 17: Grades 7-12 Mass, 2:15pm; Booster Club Meeting, 5:30pm; Kindergarten Christmas Concert @ KHS Gym, 5:45pm; 1st & 2nd Grade Christmas Concert @ KHS Gym, 7pm

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST, ARCADIA

LOTS OF HELP is needed so please join us for decorating the church for Christmas on Sunday, Dec. 21, following the 8am Mass.

If you would like to donate a poinsettia in memory of loved one, please drop off in church after Dec. 21 or contact Mary Jo (689-2228).

The November Food Drive items need to be delivered to the Carroll County Food Pantry. Please contact the church office if you are able to help with delivery.

MINISTERS-December 21

Reader: Tucker Schroeder

Server: Mason Hoffman

Ushers/Greeters/Gifts: Michelle Schuette, Mitch Schulte

EMHC: Amy Schroeder, Kayla Venner, Joel Dentlinger, Pat Vogl, Choir

ST. BERNARD, BRED A

Please remember in your prayers Dolores Ocken. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.

Please remember in your prayers Lois Sturm. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.

Memory Tree ornaments will be available again this year to remember your loved ones at Christmas. Dan McDermott will be making bells. Loved ones will be remembered three times over the Christmas season. Ornaments are \$5. If you are interested, please let Mary Kay Uhlenkamp know at 712-673-4695 (store) or 712-673-2847 (home).

Choir practice, **Thursday, December 18, 8:30am** in the choir loft.

The St. Bernard Birthday Committee will be celebrating **David Nieland's** December 16 birthday with a card shower. His address is Regency Park Nursing Home, 500 Valley Drive, Carroll, IA 51401.

MINISTERS-December 20

Rosary Leader: Jean Grote

Greeters: Jason & Shannon Reising

Reader: Chris Uhlenkamp

Servers: Will & Aisha Nieland

Gift Bearers: Jason & Shannon Reising

Ushers: Dave Grote, Chris Koster

EMHC: Dave Grote, Jean Grote, Rosie Wernimont

Dec. \$\$ Counters: Muriel McDermott, Mary Lou Grabner

SACRED HEART, TEMPLETON

MINISTERS-December 21

Reader: Holly Weitz

Servers: Jace Harmon, Caden Hopkins

EMHC: Diane Meiners, Jodie Wieland, Margaret Denker

Church Cleaners (wk of 12/21): Kyle/Deb Hansen, Larry/Anne Heithoff

ST. AUGUSTINE, HALBUR

Please remember in your prayers Alfred Riesselman. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.

Save the Date: Halbur U Fun(d) Night, Saturday, Jan. 17. Bowling at Starline Lanes at 1pm. Contact Frank Eischeid (712-292-9039) to sign up. Social hour and dinner will begin at 5:30pm.

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL, MOUNT CARMEL

Please remember in your prayers Mary Jan Loew. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.

Looking for someone to take over Mt. Carmel funerals. Call Connie at 712-790-2655.

HOLY ANGELS, ROSELLE



Stewardship

Weekend of December 7 & 8

Adult	\$8,185.00
Loose Offering	89.25
Kuemper Debt-SA	250.00
Guild Dues-SB	80.00
World Mission Sunday	20.00

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 Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA), or the Order of Christian Initiation of Children (OCIC).

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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