Ss. Mary & Mathias Church 215 W. 8th St. Muscatine, IA 52761

We, the parish of Saints Mary and Mathias Catholic Church,
WELCOME all to CELEBRATE, TEACH and LIVE the Mission of JESUS CHRIST

September 16, 2018

24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

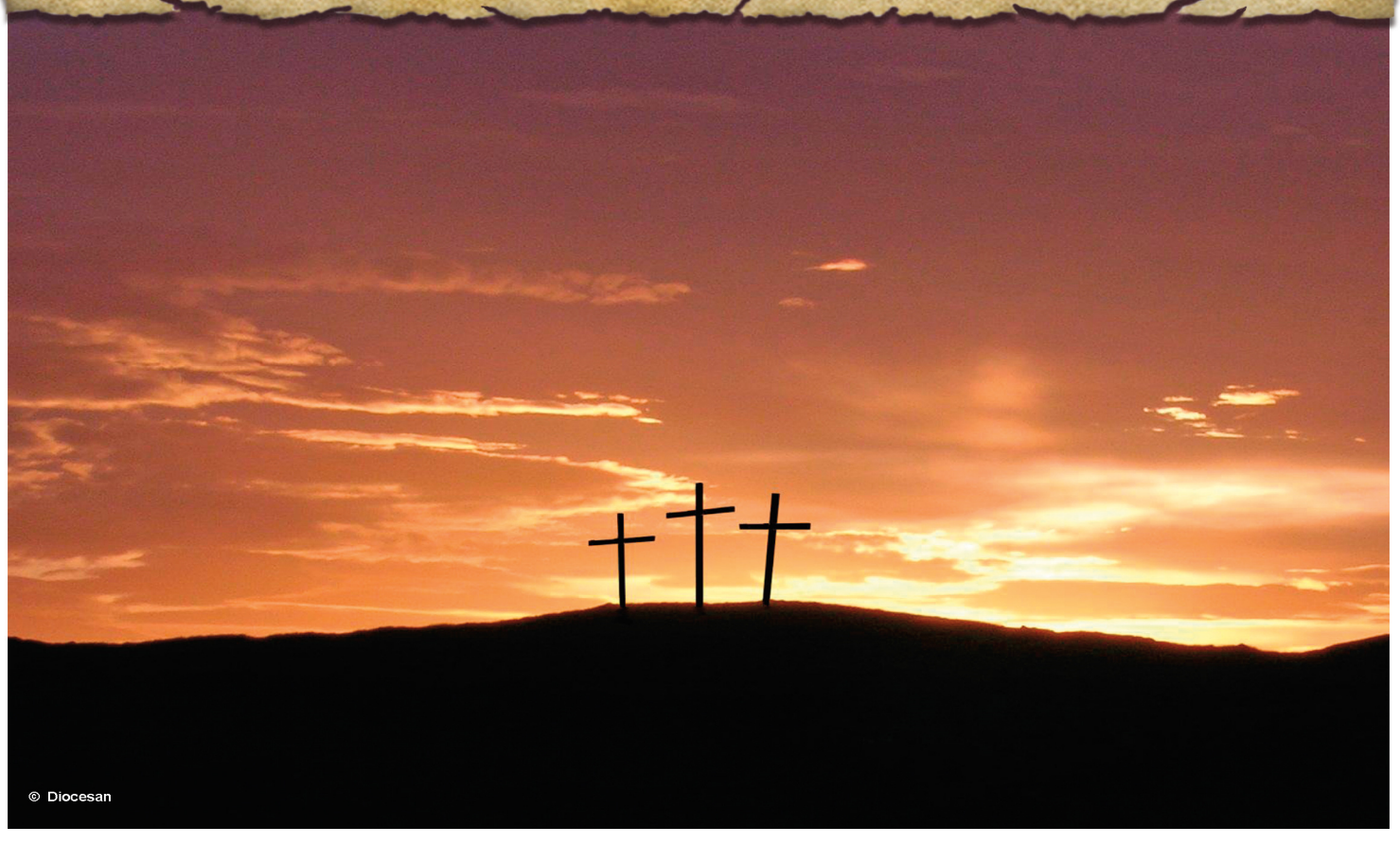
The Conditions of Discipleship

"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me."
Mark 8:34

24° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

El Que Quiera Seguirme, Tome su Cruz

"El que quiera seguirme, que renuncie a sí mismo, tome su cruz y me siga."
Marcos 8, 34



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Open Mass Intentions

November

9:00 AM - 3 7:00 AM - 29, 30

December

8:00 PM - 2, 9, 16 10:00 PM - 23

7:00 AM - 12, 28

This Week

G=Gannon, Ch=Church, C=Council/Committee, AOP=All Our Parishioners

Monday, September 17th

10:00 AM - Prayer Shawl Group - G
10:00 AM - Mass @ Lutheran Homes
Noon - Rosary - Ch
4:30 PM - Confessions - Ch
5:15 PM - Mass - George & Rita Koenigsaecker

Tuesday - September 18th

7:00 AM - Mass - Anton & Marilyn Tometich
5:30 PM - Liturgy Team
6:30 PM - Seeds of Faith

Wednesday, September 19th

7:00 AM - Mass - Joan McAreavy
7:30 AM - Touched by Faith - G
9:00 AM - Egg Breaking
6:30 PM - Spellman SCG
7:00 PM - Adult Choir - Ch

Thursday, September 20th

7:00 AM - Mass - Rose LeeLang
7:30 AM - 8:00 PM - Adoration - Chapel
9:00 AM - Noodle Making - G

Friday, September 21st

7:00 AM - Mass - Mary Lou & Jerry Howell
7:30 AM - 8:00 PM - Adoration - Chapel
7:30 AM - Noodle Bagging
7:00 PM - Hispanic Choir Practice - G

Saturday, September 22nd

2:00 PM - Wedding - Aberle/Elkims
3:45 PM - Confession
5:00 PM - Mass - AOP

Sunday, September 23rd

8:00 AM - Mass - Virginia Guck
10:00 AM - Mass - Renee Menzel
12:30 PM - Mass - for the conversion of a spouse & father

CROP WALK 2018

is being held Sunday October 7, 2:00 PM at the Muscatine Riverfront. Funds from this event help people from all over the world as well as our local Food Pantry and Bag of Blessings assisting children in our district. Contact: Tim Fuegen 563-506-1321. Ending Hunger One Step at a Time.

A Summary of Evangelii Gaudium (Joy of the Gospel) Part 5

by Kevin Cotter

List of Quotes (titles are mine)

Complaining

"Sometimes we are tempted to find excuses and complain, acting as if we could only be happy if a thousand conditions were met. To some extent this is because our 'technological society has succeeded in multiplying occasions of pleasure, yet has found it very difficult to engender joy'" (#7).

Where should we preach the Gospel?

In fidelity to the example of the Master, it is vitally important for the Church today to go forth and preach the Gospel to all: to all places, on all occasions, without hesitation, reluctance or fear. The joy of the Gospel is for all people: no one can be excluded." (#23).

God Asks Everything

"God asks everything of us, yet at the same time he offers everything to us" (#12).

What's your four o'clock?

"The joy of evangelizing always arises from grateful remembrance: it is a grace which we constantly need to implore. The apostles never forgot the moment when Jesus touched their hearts: 'It was about four o'clock in the afternoon'" (Jn. 1:39) (#13).

On patience

"Evangelization consists mostly of patience and disregard for constraints of time" (#24).

On Atheism

Today, our challenge is not so much atheism as the need to respond adequately to many people's thirst for God, lest they try to satisfy it with alienating solutions or with a disembodied Jesus who demands nothing of us with regard to others.

What disciples risk?

"The disciple is ready to put his or her whole life on the line, even to accepting martyrdom, in bearing witness to Jesus Christ, yet the goal is not to make enemies but to see God's word accepted and its capacity for liberation and renewal revealed" (24).

On marriage today

"Marriage now tends to be viewed as a form of mere emotional satisfaction that can be constructed in any way or modified at will" (#66).

(to be continued…)

A copy of the Joy of the Gospel may be found at www.vatican.va. Click on the link, "Apostolic Exhortation."

Faith Formation/Mazzuchelli Calendar

September 18 RCIA classes will begin—6:30-8:00pm in the Mazzuchelli Center—"Giving Thanks / Catholicism"—Sister Cheryl
September 19 Religious Education Classes for Grades K-6
September 20 Surviving Divorce—6:30-8:30pm in the Mazzuchelli Center
September 25 RCIA class—6:30-8:00pm—"The Journey of Faith"—Sister Cheryl
September 26 Religious Education Classes for Grades K-10
September 27 Surviving Divorce—6:30-8:30pm in the Mazzuchelli Center

The WEEKEND of September 15-16 is Catechetical Sunday. The 2018 theme will be "**Enlisting Witnesses for Jesus Christ**." Saints Mary and Mathias is gifted with a blessed community of Faith Formation Catechists:

Kindergarten: Mary Alice Sessler (Early Bird); Anahi Ceniceros / Gabby Carrillo (Evening)
Grade One: Margaret Manjoine (Early Bird); Cindy Garvin (Evening)
Grade Two: Elaine Bates (Early Bird); Mike Peck /Maria Frausto (Evening)
Grade Three: Denise Gaeta (Early Bird); Cathy Hanson / Keely Todd / Marcie Magaña (Evening)
Grade Four: Julie Herold (Early Bird); Sarah Haas / Sarah Schoer / Rick Causse (Evening)
Grade Five: Tess Rauenbuehler (Early Bird); Paul Breuer / Denise Causse (Evening)
Grade Six: Kathy Johnson (Early Bird); Kent Ferris / Christi Compton (Evening)
Grade Seven: Sister Cheryl / Pat Phillips (Early Bird); Chris Gross (Evening)
Grade Eight: Sister Cheryl / Pat Phillips (Early Bird); Marsha Mouzon (Evening)
Grade Nine: Brenda Leza / Daniel Salazar (Year 1 of Confirmation)
Grade Ten: Sister Cheryl / Ralph Weiss / Tom Ruefer (Year 2 of Confirmation)
Terry Thein—Traffic Control
Mary Jo Thein—building Supervisor for Wednesday Night
Jane Martin – Building Monitor
Tommy Fallon - Youth Ministry
Molly Shellabarger – Building Supervisor / Office Manager
Fr. Troy / Fr. Hai—"Teaching Safety—Empowering God's Children" (Grades K-5)
Sister Cheryl—Director for Faith Formation

Parish Directory Portrait Schedule

Schedule your portrait session online.
Go to: ucdir.com User Name: ia109 PW: stmm2018

These times are currently online:

Oct. 11, 12 (Th & F): 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Oct. 13 (Sat): 10:30 AM - 4:00 PM

These times will be added online as the October schedule fills up:

Nov. 27, 29 & 30 (T, Th & F): 2:00 PM - 8:30 PM
Nov. 28 (W): Noon - 6:30 PM
Dec. 1 (Sat): 10:30 AM - 4:00 PM

And as the November schedule fills up:

Jan. 2, 3 & 4 (T, W, Th & F): 2:00 pm - 8:30 PM
Jan. 5 (Sat): 10:30 AM - 4:00 PM

If 6 or more will be in the picture, please schedule for 2 adjacent sessions. If questions, call the parish office.

Semi-Annual Fresh Start Benefit Sale

Humility Homes & Services
3805 Mississippi Ave - Davenport, IA.
Friday - 9/28, 8am to 4pm; Sat. - 9/29, 9am to 3 PM
Donations not used by our participants will be for sale.
Call Patti 563-326-1330

Vision 20/20: From Pentecost to Pentecost

The time is NOW for the Diocese of Davenport to move forward and fill every life with the joy of the Gospel though a fresh encounter with Jesus Christ! Join Bishop Zinkula in opening our hearts to the Holy Spirit through "Vision 20/20: From Pentecost to Pentecost."

This diocesan-wide effort will begin with Listening Sessions in all parishes, schools, and ministries in the Fall of 2018, followed by Regional Conversations, and then a two-day Convocation in the Spring of 2019. At the Convocation, we will celebrate our unity in the joy of the Gospel and identify effective ways in which to share the Good News with others.

In the Fall of 2019, we will take the next steps in our parishes, schools and ministries. Finally, there will be a diocesan celebration during Pentecost of 2020 to keep the momentum going.

Please prayerfully consider your participation in Vision 20/20. More information to follow.

St. Mary, Solon - Harvest Festival - 09/23/18

Chicken & Pork Dinner 11:00-1:30. Festivities including a raffle, Bidding Barn, Country Store, and children's games continue until 3:00 PM. Everyone is welcome!

To report child abuse contact: Iowa Department of Human Services Child Abuse Hotline: 800-362-2178 and if it involves clergy or church personnel also notify Alicia Owens, the Victim Assistance Coordinator, 563-349-5002; vac@diodav.org or PO Box 232, Bettendorf, IA 52722-0004. New (Oct. 2014)

Upcoming Events

September 24th
6:30 PM - Parish Council - G

September 28th
10:00 AM - Mass @ Bickford

September 29th
2:00 PM - Wedding - Vogel/Tobias

October 3rd
9:30 AM - Ladies Guild - G

October 5th
10:00 AM - Mass @ Sunnybrook

October 6th
Fair Trade Weekend
7:45 AM - 1st Saturday Confessions
9:30 AM - 1st Saturday Mass

October 8th
10:00 AM - Mass @ Lutheran Homes
6:00 PM - Catholic Daughters Mtg. - G

October 11th
2:00 PM - 8:30 PM - Picture Taking - G

October 12th
10:45 AM - Mass @ Premier Estates
2:00 PM - 8:30 PM - Picture Taking - G

October 13th
10:30 AM - 4:00 PM - Picture Taking - G

Readings for the Week

Monday	**Saint Robert Bellarmine** 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10-17; Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday	1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday	**Saint Januarius** 1 Cor 12:31—13:13; Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 & 22; Lk 7:31-35
Thursday	**Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gon, and Paul Chong Ha-sang and Companions, Martyrs** 1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28; Lk 7:36-50
Friday	**Saint Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist** Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Mt 9:9-13
Saturday	1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Ps 56:10c-12, 13-14; Lk 8:4-15
Sunday	**Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time** Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8; Jas 3:16—4:3; Mk 9:30-37

VANCO

Guess Who's Coming to Dinner

9/28 (Note - Corrected Date) @ 6:00 PM
Anyone interested in being a guest or hosting a dinner can call, text or email Sherry So 724-799-1865 sherry.so@gmail.com
The host has the dinner in his/her home and provides the main dish and beverages. The guests bring the side dishes.

2018-2019 ADA

Kick-Off is September 15th-16th

Egg Breaking - for the Noodle-Making

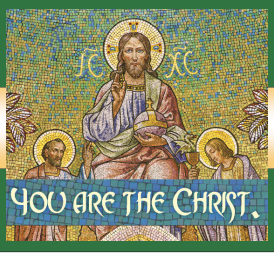
Sept. 19 - 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Join Jim Weigand for egg breaking in Gannon Hall in preparation for noodle-making.

Come One, Come All to the Noodle - Making Ball

Sept. 20 - 9:00 AM until Done - Gannon
Bring your noodle-making machine if you have one and help make noodles. Lunch will be provided by Sal Vitale's.
Call Jim 299-8016 or Laura Anderson 263-9962 so they have a head count for lunch.

Beef & Noodle Dinner

Oct. 21 - 4:00 PM-7:00 PM in SSMM school gym
All are welcome to come enjoy the Beef & Noodle Dinner to raise funds to provide Thanksgiving Dinners for those in need.



Guest House
New Melleray Abbey

6632 Melleray Circle
Peosta, IA 52068

As a guest at New Melleray, you will share in our life of prayerful mindfulness of Christ.
You will be welcome to:

- Join us at Mass
- Liturgy of the Hours
- Your own room (towels and linens provided)
- Home-cooked meals taken in silence while listening to recordings of spiritual conferences or music to nourish your soul.
- A library with ample material for spiritual reading
- Prayerful walks in front of the abbey and in some of our farm and woodlands

You will find that our guest house is one of those "space of prayer and communion" that Pope Francis in *The Joy of the Gospel* esteems so important today.

Twenty-two rooms are available, four with two single beds, the others have one single bed. Groups or individuals seeking a spiritual retreat from the world are welcome.

Contact: guesthouse@newmelleray.org or 563-588-2319 extension 100

LA SANTA MISA DE HOY ES EN MEMORIA DE TODOS LOS SANTO DIFUNTOS

Concede, Señor, la paz a los que esperan en ti, y cumple así las palabras de tus profetas; escucha las plegarias de tu siervo, y de tu pueblo Israel.
Cfr. Sir 36, 18

ADA KICK-OFF

La Colecta Anual Diocesana sera el 22 y el 23 de Septiembre. Esta es tu oportunidad para ayudar a la diócesis en su trabajo del Ministerio. Puede asistir a nuestra parroquia con su promesa también. Cuando una parroquia va sobre su objetivo, 100% de esa cantidad excedente se devuelve a la parroquia para su uso.

APARTEN SUS FECHA!

Querida familia de la iglesia,,
¡Es tiempo para un Nuevo Directorio! Nuestro directorio de la iglesia no será completo sin usted. Acompáñenos para celebrar la fe y la familia con nuestro nuevo álbum de la familia de la iglesia. Para programar su cita de fotografía en línea. Vaya a www.ucdir.com y haga clic en el horario en su sesión de la fotografía en la derecha, ponga ***ia109*** donde dice Church Code, y luego ponga ***stmm2018*** donde dice Password. Si usted tiene 6 o más en su familia utilice 2 horas consecutivos. Si necesita ayuda, por favor hable a la oficina.

CALENDARIO DE EVENTOS

Domingo 16 de Septiembre - *Rosario antes de Misa @12pm, Misa @12:30pm

Lunes 17 de Septiembre - * Misa @5:15pm

Martes 18 de Septiembre - * Misa @7am, 8:30am Escuela

Miercoles 19 de Septiembre - * Misa @7am

Jueves 20 de Septiembre - * Misa @7am, Adoracion @ 7:30am

Viernes 21 de Septiembre - * Misa @7am, Adoracion @7:30am

Sabado 22 de Septiembre - * Confeciones @3:45pm, Misa @5pm

MINISTROS LITURGICOS

Monaguillos: Jared Lopez, Amy Olivas, Cristobal Ocampo

Lectores: Anahi Ceniceros, Mayte Juarez

Hospitalidad: Saul Ocampo, Consuelo Casillas, April Casillas, Gerardo Madrigal Adrian Madrigal, Ulises Rodriguez

Vino Sagrado: Lizbeth Torres, Veronica Ochoa

SCRIP

El 16 de Septiembre despues de Misa, se estaran vendiendo tarjetas pre-pagadas para diferente tiendas. Un buen regalo para un cumpleaños, bautismo, bodas, etc. Lo que se venda de las tarjetas son para beneficio de nuestra escuela catolica Santa Maria y Mathias.

LÍNEA DE ORACIÓN

Si usted desea que añadamos a alguien en la línea de oración. Por favor llame a la oficina parroquial.

Huellas y Frizz con Heather presenta una peregrinación a los Santuarios de Italia con el Padre Troy Richmond. Para más información, por favor, recoger un folleto en la parte posterior de la iglesia.

NOTICIAS DE FORMACIÓN DE FE

CALENDARIO PARA SEPTIEMBRE

18 de Sep.	Clases de RCIA comenzarán - 6:30pm-8:00pm en el Centro Mazzuchelli - "Dando Gracias / Catolicismo" - Hermana Cheryl
19 de Sep.	Clases de Doctrina para los Grados K-6
20 de Sep.	Sobrevivir un Divorcio - 6:30pm-8:30pm en el Centro Mazzuchelli
25 de Sep.	Clases de RCIA - 6:30pm - 8pm—"El camino de la Fe" con la Hermana Cheryl
26 de Sep.	Clases de Doctrina para los Grados K-10
27 de Sep.	Sobrevivir un Divorcio - 6:30pm-8:30pm en el Centro Mazzuchelli

El fin de semana del 15 y 16 de septiembre es Domingo de Catequesis. El tema de 2018 será "Alistar Testigos de Jesucristo." Saints Mary and Mathias is gifted with a blessed community of Faith Formation Catechists:

Kinder: Mary Alice Sessler (Primera Sesion); Anahi Ceniceros / Gabby Carrillo (Segunda sesion)
Primer Grado: Margaret Manjoine (PS); Cindy Garvin (SS)
Segundo Grado: Elaine Bates (PS); Mike Peck /Maria Frausto (SS)
Tercer Grado: Denise Gaeta (PS); Cathy Hanson / Keely Todd / Marcie Magaña (SS)
Cuarto Grado: Julie Herold (PS); Sarah Haas / Sarah Schoer / Rick Causse (SS)
Quinto Grado: Tess Rauenbuehler (PS); Paul Breuer / Denise Causse (SS)
Sexto Grado: Kathy Johnson (PS); Kent Ferris / Christi Compton (SS)
Septimo Grado: Sister Cheryl / Pat Phillips (PS); Chris Gross (SS)
Octavo Grado: Sister Cheryl / Pat Phillips (PS); Marsha Mouzon (SS)
Noveno Grado: Brenda Leza / Daniel Salazar (Primer Años de Confirmación)
Decimo Grado: Sister Cheryl / Ralph Weiss / Tom Ruefer (Ssegundo Año de Confirmación)
Terry Thein—Control de Tráfico
Mary Jo Thein—Supervisora del Edificio para la noche del miércoles
Jane Martin – Monitor de Edificio
Tommy Fallon - Ministerio de la Juventud
Molly Shellabarger – Supervisora de Edificio/Gerente de Oficina
Fr. Troy / Fr. Hai—"Enseñanza de Seguridad — Empoderando a los hijos de Dios (Grados K-5)
Sister Cheryl—Directora de Formación de Fe

FE VIVA Y ACTIVA

ORACIÓN DESPUÉS DE LA COMUNIÓN

Que el efecto de este don celestial, Señor, transforme nuestro cuerpo y nuestro espíritu, para que sea su fuerza, y no nuestro sentir, lo que siempre inspire nuestras acciones. Por Jesucristo, nuestro Señor.

DONUT SUNDAY

21 de Octubre - Juana Delia Casillas
18 de Noviembre - Familia Gomez

Si estan interesados en ayudar con un domingo, por favor hablen a la oficina con Maria. Gracias a las familias que han ayudado. Si gustan ayudar para el **proximo año 2019**, hablen con Maria Frausto.

KERMEZ, KERMEZ

Domingo, 07 de Octubre 2018
En Gannon Hall despues de Misa

Si gustan ayudar con la Kermez, hablen con Alicia Rivas o Maria Frausto. Habra comida, postres y actividades para los niños.

Los Esperamos!!

Ministry Schedule Website: rotundasoftware.com/ministry/metz/schedules/?pointer=last

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Next page: set up your password.

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Mass Schedule

1st Saturday - 1er Sabado	9:00 pm
Saturday	5:00 pm
Sunday	8:00 am & 10:00 am
Sunday en espanol	12:30 pm
Monday 5:15 pm	
Tues -Fri	7:00 am

Misa día de la Semana

Lunes	5:15 pm
Martes—Viernes	7:00 am

Reconciliation (Reconciliacion)

Mon. (L)	4:30 pm - 5:00 pm
Sat. (S)	3:45 pm - 4:45 pm
1st Sat. (*1° S*)	7:45 am - 8:45 am

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