

# The Saint Joseph Journal

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A friend and I argued about the actual time when the trees would leaf out; I stubbornly clung to a time closer to the end of April and he chose a time in early May. At any rate, entertaining one of the many facets of this season of Spring, the buds are beginning to appear, the leaves sure to follow, with the Magnolias flowering first then the flowering crab trees. Robins have recently discovered earthworms, tulips will soon show their colors, and the smell of lilacs will fill the air. Such is the character of Spring that renews the earth in our sector of the world, and lifts up our spirits. Though by and large unwanted and unloved, I do miss the other sign of this season: the yellow faced dandelions. So it is apropos to recognize and remember the nurturing gift of mothers in this season. Hardly a secular day, its roots can be traced back to a woman named Anna Jarvis. In 1908 she held a memorial for her mother at St. Andrew's Methodist

## Our Parish



By Fr. Tim Johnson

Church in Grafton, West Virginia. As a peace ac-

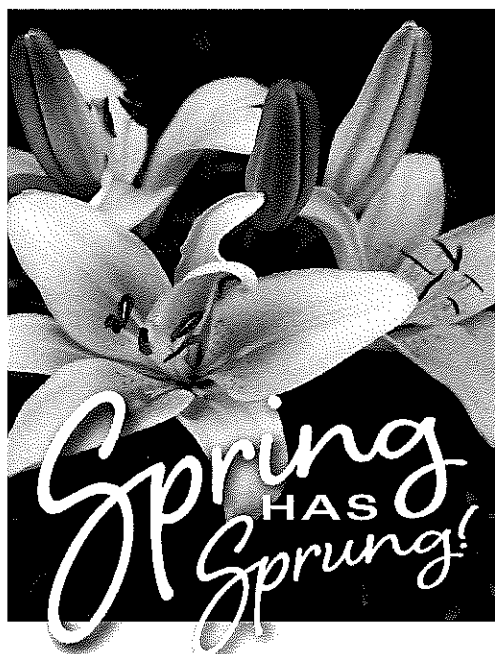
tually rejected her proposal, by 1911 all the states observed the holiday. In 1914 President Woodrow Wilson signed a proclamation designating Mother's Day to be held on the second Sunday in May. Our recognition and

remembrance of mothers seems as natural to the season of Spring as the return of the robins.

I was recently struck by the bio of Marina Tsvetaeva, a talented woman and protective mother who was born in Moscow, Russia, 1892. She published her first book of poems at the age of 18, attracting the attention of writers and publishers, and

continued to write prolifically. During the Bolshevik revolution and the War she was forced to live apart from her soldier husband, at the same time grieving the loss of her youngest

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tivist who cared for the wounded soldiers on both sides of the Civil War, she actively campaigned to make Mother's Day a recognized holiday in our country. Though Congress ini-

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# May 2019



| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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|   |  | 1<br>FINAL Faith Form.<br>Class<br>K-6: 3:45-5 p.m.<br>7-12: 7-8 p.m.           | 2<br>✓ 7:30 a.m.<br>Anointing Mass<br><br>✓ 5:15 p - Praise<br>Band Rehearsal | 3<br>First Friday<br>Comm. Calls<br><br>✓ 10:30 a.m. Mass<br>at Hawkeye Care<br>Center. | 4<br>11 a.m. CDA<br>Salad Luncheon,<br>PC<br><br>Mass at<br>4:30 p.m.<br><br>Rosary/Altar Dues<br>Collection Wknd.  |
| 5<br>✓ Mass at 8<br>and 10 a.m.<br>✓ Praise Band at<br>10 a.m.<br>✓ Senior<br>Breakfast, PC<br>✓ Rosary/Altar<br>Dues Collection<br>Wknd. | 6<br>8 a.m.<br>Kitchen Cleaning<br><br>Al-Anon-8 p NE<br>AA-8 pm- NazE   | 7<br>✓ Eucharistic<br>Adoration, 8-5  | 8<br>8 a.m.<br>Peace & Justice<br>Meets in Naz.                               | 9<br>✓ 8 a.m.<br>Bible Study,<br>✓ 11 a.m. "Ones"<br>meet at church to<br>carpool to LP | 10<br>10:30 a.m. Mass at<br>Care Center<br><br>Mass at 4:30 p.m<br>Lifesaver Wknd.  |
| 12<br>Mass at<br>8 & 10 a.m.<br><br>Contemporary<br>Band at 10 a.m.<br><br>Lifesaver Wknd.  | 13<br>St. Joseph<br>Bridge Playoff<br>7 p.m., Overflow<br><br>Al-Anon-8 p NE<br>AA-8 pm- Naz                                       | 14<br>✓ Eucharistic<br>Adoration, 8-5<br><br>✓ 10 a - Prayer<br>Shawl           | 15<br>Camp CaYoCa<br>registrations due<br>at office.                          | 16<br>✓ Bible Study,<br>8 am, Naz.<br><br>Choir Practice<br>5 p.m.                      | 17<br>10:30 a.m.<br>Mass @ Care Ctr.<br><br>June newsletter<br>copy due.<br><br>Mass at 4:30 p.m.   |
| 19<br>✓ Mass at<br>8 &<br>10 a.m.<br>Choir sings at 8<br>a.m.<br><br>KC Coffee 9-11 a.m.  | 20<br>Driver's Ed<br>7-9 p.m. Basement<br><br>Al-Anon-8 p NE<br>AA-8 pm- Naz   | 21<br>✓ Eucharistic<br>Adoration, 8-5   | 22  | 23<br>✓ Bible Study,<br>8 am, Naz.  | 24<br>Treasure Chest<br>GARAGE SALE<br>7-5<br><br>10:30 a.m.<br>Mass at Care<br>Center.<br><br>Garage Sale<br>8-12<br>✓ Summer<br>Schedule Begins!<br>Mass at 4 and 5:30<br>p.m.<br>✓ R/A Cinnamon<br>Rolls |
| 26<br>Summer<br>Schedule Begins!<br>Mass at<br>7:30, 9 and 10:30<br>a.m.<br><br>R/A Cinnamon<br>Rolls                                     | 27<br>Parish Offices<br>Closed for holiday<br><br>9 a.m. Memorial<br>Day Mass at<br>Cemetery<br><br>Al-Anon-8 p NE<br>AA-8 pm- Naz | 28<br>Eucharistic<br>Adoration, 8-5<br><br>CDA meets at 545<br>p.m. in Nazareth | 29  | 30  | 31<br>10:30 a.m.<br>Mass at Care<br>Center.<br><br>  |

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Accrual Basis

**Saint Joseph Catholic Church**  
**Balance Sheet Prev Year Comparison**  
 As of March 31, 2019

|  | <u>Mar 31, 19</u>          | <u>Mar 31, 18</u>          |
|--|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                            |                            |                            |
| Current Assets                           |                            |                            |
| Checking/Savings                         |                            |                            |
| 11000 · CASH                             | 221,331.75                 | 205,120.81                 |
| 12000 · INVESTMENTS                      | 486,794.98                 | 367,606.33                 |
| Total Checking/Savings                   | 708,126.73                 | 572,727.14                 |
| Total Current Assets                     | 708,126.73                 | 572,727.14                 |
| Fixed Assets                             |                            |                            |
| 18000 · FIXED ASSETS                     | 3,364,844.43               | 3,364,844.43               |
| 19000 · ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION         | -501,968.01                | -501,968.01                |
| Total Fixed Assets                       | 2,862,876.42               | 2,862,876.42               |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>                      | <u><u>3,571,003.15</u></u> | <u><u>3,435,603.56</u></u> |
| <b>LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>          |                            |                            |
| Liabilities                              |                            |                            |
| Current Liabilities                      |                            |                            |
| Other Current Liabilities                |                            |                            |
| 22000 · PAYROLL LIABILITIES              | 59.93                      | -259.06                    |
| 24000 · FUNDS HELD FOR OTHERS            | 2,215.80                   | 2,217.80                   |
| Total Other Current Liabilities          | 2,275.73                   | 1,958.74                   |
| Total Current Liabilities                | 2,275.73                   | 1,958.74                   |
| Total Liabilities                        | 2,275.73                   | 1,958.74                   |
| Equity                                   |                            |                            |
| 31000 · UNRESTRICTED FUND BALANCE        | 3,314,195.36               | 3,179,908.52               |
| 32000 · PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED FUND B... | 110,838.70                 | 110,838.70                 |
| 33000 · TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED           | 15,602.21                  | 15,602.21                  |
| Net Income                               | 128,091.15                 | 127,295.39                 |
| Total Equity                             | 3,568,727.42               | 3,433,644.82               |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>    | <u><u>3,571,003.15</u></u> | <u><u>3,435,603.56</u></u> |

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Accrual Basis

# Saint Joseph Catholic Church

## Profit Loss Prev Year Comparison

|                                       | Mar 19    | Mar 18     | Jul '18 - Mar 19 | Jul '17 - Mar 18 |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|------------|------------------|------------------|
| Ordinary Income/Expense               |           |            |                  |                  |
| Income                                |           |            |                  |                  |
| 40000 · PARISH INCOME                 | 43,086.15 | 31,254.36  | 492,429.24       | 476,582.82       |
| 40173 · Peace & Justice Income        | 1,463.00  | 303.72     | 15,993.47        | 11,086.58        |
| 41000 · INVESTMENT INCOME             | 922.62    | -6,749.62  | 2,638.24         | 7,058.26         |
| 42000 · SPECIAL COLLECTIONS           | 0.00      | 0.00       | 90.00            | -1,061.20        |
| 44000 · ENTERTAINMENT & FESTIVALS     | 10,946.31 | 5,957.12   | 30,237.23        | 28,786.64        |
| 47000 · CONTRIBUTIONS & DONATIONS     | 75.00     | 64.00      | 544.00           | 710.00           |
| 49000 · OTHER INCOME                  | 500.00    | 535.25     | 5,719.39         | 746.77           |
| 49911 - Memorial Income               | 0.00      | 0.00       | 3,205.00         | 707.25           |
| Total Income                          | 56,993.08 | 31,364.83  | 550,856.57       | 524,617.12       |
| Expense                               |           |            |                  |                  |
| 50000 · SALARIES AND WAGES            | 18,918.73 | 23,829.53  | 192,242.98       | 195,467.24       |
| 51000 · ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES       | 4,173.66  | 3,887.73   | 70,453.64        | 57,965.54        |
| 51300 · MISSION EFFECTIVENES          | 445.70    | 1,057.74   | 13,677.48        | 16,193.06        |
| 51400 · BUILDING AND GROUNDS          | 7,749.08  | 10,217.41  | 100,018.02       | 52,123.36        |
| 51900 · OTHER ADMIN EXPENSES          | 17.50     | 35.00      | 260.33           | 958.69           |
| 53000 · ASSESSMENTS                   | 1,876.00  | 1,805.00   | 16,884.00        | 16,245.00        |
| 54000 · ENTERTAINMENT & FESTIVALS EXP | 835.18    | 1,062.49   | 10,536.61        | 22,424.95        |
| 59000 · OTHER EXPENSES                | 4,029.71  | 6,924.00   | 15,551.64        | 24,137.66        |
| Total Expense                         | 38,045.56 | 48,818.90  | 419,624.70       | 385,515.50       |
| Net Ordinary Income                   | 18,947.52 | -17,454.07 | 131,231.87       | 139,101.62       |
| Other Income/Expense                  |           |            |                  |                  |
| Other Income                          |           |            |                  |                  |
| 49905 · Haiti Connection Income       | 1,400.00  | 0.00       | 17,379.28        | 9,593.77         |
| Total Other Income                    | 1,400.00  | 0.00       | 17,379.28        | 9,593.77         |
| Other Expense                         |           |            |                  |                  |
| 59905 · Haiti Connection Expense      | 4,020.00  | 0.00       | 20,520.00        | 21,400.00        |
| Total Other Expense                   | 4,020.00  | 0.00       | 20,520.00        | 21,400.00        |
| Net Other Income                      | -2,620.00 | 0.00       | -3,140.72        | -11,806.23       |
| Net Income                            | 16,327.52 | -17,454.07 | 128,091.15       | 127,295.39       |

# Finance Council

The St. Joseph Finance Council met Thursday, April 4, 2019, in the parish office. Fr. Tim Johnson called the meeting to order at 5:15 p.m. and led the group in prayer. The following were in attendance: Fr. Tim Johnson, Lay Directors Pam Fisher and Chris Stein, Council Members Holly Skopec, Chad Harms, Tony Peschong, Steve Anderson, Jim Baumgard and Financial Secretary Susan Reiser. Absent and excused was Connie Jones. The minutes from the Feb. 13, 2019 meeting were reviewed. Baumgard moved with a second by Skopec to approve the minutes. All ayes. Carried.

## Haiti Representatives

Haiti Committee Representatives Kathy Banwart and Aaron Lorch were present to discuss the work of the Haiti Committee and possible funding for FY 19-20. Haiti reps said that they need \$5,710 per quarter or nearly \$23,000 per year to keep the Haiti school in operation. The 2019-20 budget includes a \$3,500 budgeted line item.

## Financial Reports

The comparative balance sheet ending March 31, 2019, the profit and loss statement as of March 31 and the budget vs. actual statement as of March 31 were reviewed. Discussion was held. Anderson moved with a second by Harms to approve the reports. All ayes. Carried. After discussion, Harms moved with a second by Peschong to move \$100,000 to a certificate of deposit. All ayes. Carried.

## Projects Update

**Bell Tower:** Fr. Tim updated the group on the bells/clock tower project. Several boxes of equipment have arrived from the Verdin Bell Company. Work is expected to begin in early spring.

**Gutter Project:** The gutter damage on the southside of the church will be repaired when weather allows in the spring.

**Fire Alarms:** After a recent inspection by Johnson Controls, the monitoring company for the fire alarm system, it was determined that additional horns, smoke and heat detectors, strobes and electrical work needs to be completed to be in compliance with Iowa Code. Harms moved with a second by Anderson to approve the quote of \$21,580 so St. Joseph will be in compliance with the code. All ayes. Carried.

**Adjacent Property:** Discussion was held on the property for sale to the north of the rectory. A group of Building and Grounds and Finance Council members recently toured the property. Staff will continue to monitor.

**Rectory Trees:** Last year a wind storm uprooted a large tree in front of the rectory. Fr. Tim has requested that two Prairie Fire trees be planted to replace the downed tree. A local tree firm has been contacted and will complete the project in the next few weeks. The project is being funded by two parishioners who wish to place the trees in memory of loved ones.

**Classroom Door:** A door will be relocated on the north classroom. We are on Alex Jones' list.

## 2019-20 Budget

The 2019-20 preliminary budget was reviewed. After discussion, the budget will be finalized. The Finance Council will approve it at the June 6 Finance Council meeting.

## Second Collection

Staff will meet with a representative from Peace and Justice and the Haiti Committee in the next few weeks to finalize the summer second collection schedule.

Fisher moved with a second by Baumgard to adjourn at 6:40 p.m. All ayes. Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

*Susan Reiser*

Susan Reiser

Finance Council Secretary

## For Your Information

### April Statistics

(April 20, 2019)

#### Baptized in Christ:

Juniper Anne Holler  
daughter of  
Joseph and Maria Holler  
Feb. 24, 2019  
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Annabelle Dawn Henningsen  
daughter of  
Daniel and Hilary Henningsen  
March 31, 2019  
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#### Married in Christ

None  
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#### Deaths

+Jeffrey "Skip" Eggers  
Died: April 5, 2019  
Buried: April 12, 2019  
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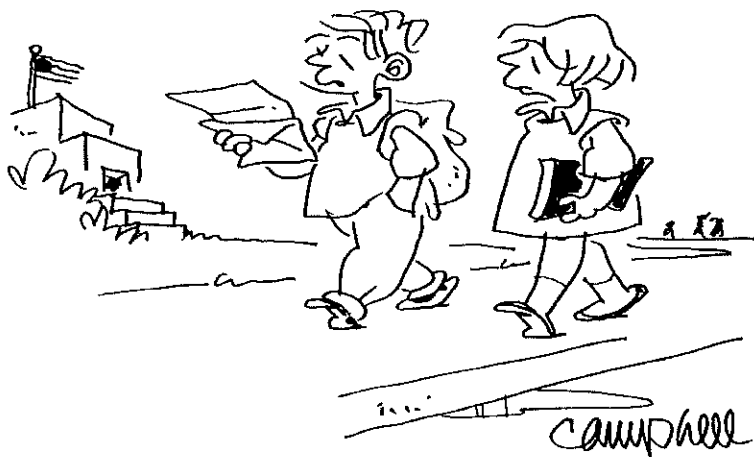
#### New Members:

The Saint Joseph Parish  
Family warmly welcomes the  
following into membership:

- ✓ Jim and Connie Jackson,  
of Milford;
- ✓ Kristi Mentink, of Lake Park;
  - ✓ Marshall and Shelly  
Matuska, of Spirit Lake, and
  - ✓ Matt Thelen and  
family, of Milford.



Don't miss **Thursday Bible Study**  
Thursdays, 8 a.m. in Nazareth  
Hall. Refreshments.Fellowship.



"Can you say 'try the patience  
of a saint' in a public school?"

**Sick** by Shel Silverstein

"I cannot go to school today,"  
Said little Peggy Ann McKay.  
"I have the measles and the mumps,  
A gash, a rash and purple bumps.  
My mouth is wet, my throat is dry,  
I'm going blind in my right eye.  
My tonsils are as big as rocks,  
I've counted sixteen chicken pox  
And there's one more--that's seven-  
teen,  
And don't you think my face looks  
green?  
My leg is cut--my eyes are blue--  
It might be instamatic flu.  
I cough and sneeze and gasp and  
choke,  
I'm sure that my left leg is broke--  
My hip hurts when I move my chin,  
My belly button's caving in,  
My back is wrenched, my ankle's  
sprained,  
My 'pendix pains each time it rains.  
My nose is cold, my toes are numb.  
I have a sliver in my thumb.  
My neck is stiff, my voice is weak,  
I hardly whisper when I speak.  
My tongue is filling up my mouth,  
I think my hair is falling out.  
My elbow's bent, my spine ain't  
straight,  
My temperature is one-o-eight.  
My brain is shrunk, I cannot hear,  
There is a hole inside my ear.  
I have a hangnail, and my heart is-  
-what?  
What's that? What's that you say?  
You say today is. . . Saturday?  
G'bye, I'm going out to play!"

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the 20th of the preceding month.

## A Note From Fr. Tim

### Fr. Tim

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daughter who died from malnutrition. For reasons of safety she left Russia with her older daughter, finally settling in France. At the insistence of her family Marina returned with her daughter. Shortly thereafter her husband and daughter were both arrested and he was later executed. Her former friends were afraid to associate with Marina and eventually, for her safety and that of her only remaining child, her son, Marina moved to a far distant rural village. With little means of support she tenaciously protected her son, though her prodigious writing was halted out of fear of the Communist regime. Marina Tsvetaeva, a gifted writer and a protective mother, died without notice and buried in a mass grave.

Why such tragedy happens I will never understand. But her purpose like so many women whom God blesses as mothers, capable of loving and nurturing, gifted with abilities that make a difference if not in the world at large at least within their family and community, are rightfully acknowledged on Mother's Day. Lest we forget, one of the last scenes on the cross edifies this special day we celebrate each Spring. "When Jesus saw his mother and the disciple whom he loved standing beside her he said, 'Woman, here is your son.' Then he said to the disciple, 'Here is your mother.'"

As the leaves soon appear on my prairie fire crab tree planted next to the church playground I leave you with this poem by David Young entitled, Mother's Day:

I see her doing something simple, paying bills,  
or leafing through a magazine or a book,  
and wish that I could say, and she could hear,  
that now I start to understand her love  
for all of us, the fullness of it.  
It burns there in the past, beyond my reach,  
a modest lamp.

May the Lord renew the spirit of hope in each of us this Spring, and protect the nurturing and gifted grace within all mothers,

*Fr. Tim*



# Building and Grounds Committee Meeting

The St. Joseph Building and Grounds Committee met Thurs., March 21, 5:15 p.m. in the parish office. In attendance were: Fr. Tim, Pam Fisher, Chris Stein, Dean Reiser, Deb Travis, Irene McCoy, Bill Aumer and Susan Reiser. Jim Sporrer was absent and excused. Fr. Tim opened the meeting with prayer.

Project updates were given.

## **Tile Movement**

It has been suggested that the tile adjacent to the serving windows in the parish center be enlarged so that the entire steam table area is on tile rather than carpet. The tile would be extended to the east side of the storage door. The bumps will also be removed to allow for better movement of glass and cup carts. Father will check with Gary Espinoza.

## **East Wall Banners**

Fr. Tim reported that he would like to hang a wood cross and two banners on the east wall of the parish center to give the room more of a religious tone. Banners would be donated by the St. Joseph Quilters. The cross will be constructed by resident wood-maker Bill Aumer.

## **Fire Alarms**

Johnson Controls recently inspected the facilities and have determined that several additional fire alarms and horns are needed throughout the facility to meet Iowa Code. After we receive a cost estimate, a two-day installation of needed items will be completed.

## **Bells**

Fr. Tim reported that the Verdin Company will be on-site this spring to complete the bell renovation project.

## **Rectory Trees**

A storm last fall caused a big tree in the rectory front yard to be uprooted. Fr. Tim said he would like to plant two trees in the place of the large one that fell. Persons interested in contributing funds for two prairie fire trees in memory of a loved one should call the parish office. Fr. will contact Ferguson's and arrange for the trees to be planted.

## **Gutter Project**

Last year's late snowstorm caused significant damage to gutters on the southside of the church. Because of timing, Christiansen's Sheet Metal, of Spencer, was not able to complete the repairs last fall. Additional damage was done this winter on the north side. Staff will continue to work with Christiansen's to complete the entire project this spring. Most of the repair costs are expected to be covered by insurance.

## **Classroom Door**

Some time ago, Fr. Tim suggested installing a door to the south of the back classroom. We are currently waiting for the contractor to arrive. Alex Jones has assured us that St. Joseph is on his list.

## **Adjacent Property**

Fr. Tim told those in attendance that the property adjacent to the rectory to the north is for sale. Members will tour this property next week to check out the possibilities of owning adjacent land to the church.

## **Employee Review**

Those in attendance were updated on job descriptions.

## **Inspection**

Members toured the facilities and found the following items that need attention:

- ✓ Floors throughout facility need to be waxed.
  - ✓ Southeast corner of church ceiling needs dry wall repair.
- Cracks are more noticeable in the ceiling of the north wall of the side altar. Some new peeling of paint was also reported. Staff will contact a company for inspection purposes.
- ✓ Repair cement outside sacristy door.
  - ✓ The corner ceiling of the balcony may also need attention.
  - ✓ The wall on the southwest side of the basement door seems to be bowing.
  - ✓ Bricks on landing need to be scrubbed to remove white calcium.
  - ✓ Cement by end of sidewalk by handicapped area may need to be repaired
  - ✓ Uneven level of sidewalk to street needs yellow paint marking.
  - ✓ Branch hanging in front tree needs to be removed.

The meeting adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

*Susan Reiser*

Susan Reiser

Building and Grounds Secretary



# Together In Faith

By Sharon Mayer  
Director of Faith Formation

The merry month of May has arrived. Birds singing, flowers blooming, the lakes area getting busier, graduations... A whole host of things happen in May. My youngest son, Tom whom many of you know, will be graduating from Iowa State. That will make 4 or 6 if you include their dad and I. So we are well acquainted with that process. We also will have our senior Mass on May 5th followed by a breakfast for them and families. We wish our graduates the very best of futures and hope they remember to give some praise to the Lord along the way for the good in their lives as well as reaching out to Him about the struggles that will come along.

May 1 is our last religious education class day. The K-6th grades will begin with a May Crowning and conclude with Mass. Immediately after we will have a hot dog lunch for them. Families are invited to celebrate this last day with their child. In the evening, 7-12 grades will enjoy grilled burgers after Mass in the evening. Again, families if you would like to join us you are welcome.

April 28 is First Communion Day for the students of St. Joseph. The first time to be able to take Jesus to themselves is that day. They study hard for this and practice. It is a big day and another step in growing up. Congratulations to all of them.

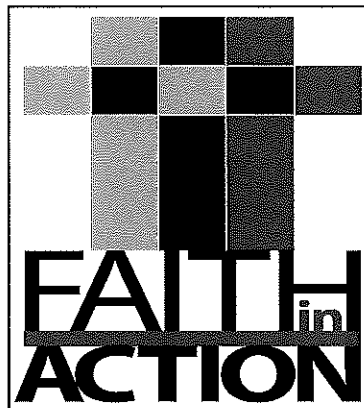
It has been an up and down year. We lost time because of the weather and perhaps did not get to everything we would have liked to. It helps more than you know for our children to attend Mass. They have a better understanding of things when they attend.

Camp CaYoCa (Catholic Youth Camp) will be held for our children in grades 3-12 (fall) this June. Information is online or posted, registration forms are at the back of church or in the offices. We do pay half of the fee when parishioners register with me by May 15. This camp is held at Twin Lakes by Rockwell City. It is great fun but also allows for Mass, prayer and Christian fellowship with other kids in our Diocese. Please consider this short camp for your child.

We will not be offering vacation bible school this year as attendance has been low the past couple of years. When we do have it, it is a Catholic based Bible school. I will miss it but it will make a return someday.

Should you give thought to being a Catechist for the 2019-2020 year, please contact me so that we can get you VIRTUS trained which is a requirement of being involved with kids. Classes begin again the Wednesday after Labor Day.

By the way, don't forget to go fishing and attend the CDA salad luncheon at the beginning of this month or close with getting some cinnamon rolls at the end of the month when we change Mass times and welcome our summer visitors.



## **Congratulations to the following students who will be making their First Communion at St. Joseph on Sun., April 28:**

Michael Berg  
Nicolas Cayetano  
Elliott Chaffin  
Logan Clark  
Katelyn Clausen  
Madalyn DeMuth  
Samantha Dodge  
Noah Fairchild

Emma Frerichs  
Ben Garcia  
Gracie Gunderson  
Jackson Gunderson  
Lilliana Gunderson  
Colson Hanna  
Nathan Kilgore  
Alexa Kreig

Tegan Lange  
Taevon Lloyd  
David Matthews III  
Liam Miller  
Harvey Olson  
Caden Swenson  
Brody Titterington  
Braedyn Wallrich

## Faith Formation Board Meeting

The Faith Formation Board met on Sunday, April 14 at 11:00 am. Members present were Chris Hinshaw, Jeanette Baack, Lynnette Cook and Sharon Mayer. Excused was Molly Foss, Absent was Jenn Prentice and Larry Sattler.

Sharon presented that the year was a little rough with so much weather interfering. Attendance was good for the most part. The last day of classes will be May 1 with closing Masses.

Sharon advised that the Confirmation program will be revamped a little for the coming year to reflect more participation of sponsors with the students. Ninth grade has had some revision with the Gifts of the Holy Spirit workshop and research projects.

Sharon shared the presentation by the Diocese that people believe God is personal to them or He is just an idea. If just an idea, then they does not necessarily attend church regularly, pray at home, have religious reminders in their home... Some children only get their teaching here on Wednesdays. A goal is to get them to recognize God as a friend to them and concerned about their lives.

A donor has contacted the board for a possible religious education award for a senior who has financial need and has a good history of religious education attendance.

The board would like Fr. Tim or Sharon to go to the superintendent of the Okoboji schools to see if we can get them to agree to have coaches not penalize the students if they miss a practice for attending a religious event. Information was presented that if a student misses a practice, even if a "non-required" one on a Sunday, that they have to sit out an event. This type strong arm approach is not acceptable if this is happening. Sharon will talk to Fr. Tim.

We have received an \$800 donation for needed equipment like another smart TV. We remained under budget but still continue to watch what money is spent on. The new budget should remain similar to this past year.

Next year's classes will begin the Wednesday after Labor Day and run through the end of April or first week of May.

Meeting adjourned at 12:45. Next meeting will be the beginning of August.

Submitted by  
Sharon Mayer

## It's Time To Have Your Photo Taken!



We're planning a new photo directory for this summer. To make this happen, we need all 700 families at St. Joseph to have their photo taken by Lifetouch July 9-13 or July 16-20. There is no charge to have your photo taken. You will receive a free 8 x 10 photograph and a free church directory in exchange for your time.

It is critical to have as many families as possible participate, because the number of FREE activity photo pages we receive is directly related to the number of families photographed. Mark your calendar NOW! Sign-up sheets will be available the end of May.

Our various organizations within the parish in June. We will release the exact schedule shortly. This photo book will be our official Centennial Edition so everyone will want to be in it.

# *Camp Cayoca 2019* *God's Call*

June 9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> • Grades 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>

**Cost \$175 per person**

Come and enjoy the beauty of God's creation at camp. Learn more about building the kingdom of God while you enjoy a variety of exciting activities and make new friends.

#WHYIMCATHOLIC

**COST \$175 PER PERSON**

Grow closer to Christ and deeper in your faith this summer while having a blast and building lasting relationships!

**2019**  
**CAMP CAYOCA**  
JUNE 12<sup>TH</sup> – 14<sup>TH</sup>  
GRADES 7<sup>TH</sup> – 12<sup>TH</sup>



Diocese of  
Sioux City

**St. Joseph will pay half of this fee.**

**Registration forms are available at the office and back of Church.  
Deadline is May 15.**



# **CALLING ALL**



***You are cordially invited to the  
St. Joseph Volunteer Appreciation Supper  
Thursday, April 25, 6 p.m.,  
St. Joseph Parish Center.***

***Enjoy supper in your honor.  
Short Program.***

***To ensure the correct amount of food,  
you MUST RSVP to the office by  
Monday, April 22 in order to attend.***

***We couldn't run St. Joseph's without  
our faithful volunteers.  
A sincere thanks to all of you!***



**Jacob Allen**  
Jon and Sara Allen

**Dylan McHugh**  
Matt and Kris McHugh

**Jacob Chicoine**  
Galen and Julie Chicoine

**Kaitlyn Meylor**  
Mike Meylor

**Grace Eckard**  
Kurt and Theresa Eckard

**Madalyn Meylor**  
Mike Meylor

**Ryan Feller**  
Keith and Billi Feller

**Matthew Meylor**  
Mike Meylor

**Ryan Greiner**  
Mike and LeAnn Greiner

**Molly Mulhern**  
Scott Mulhern  
Lisa Mulhern

**Cris Halbur**  
Shane and Jennifer Halbur

**Cheyenne Nelson**  
Adam and Benita Nelson

**Alli Harms**  
Chad and Jill Harms

**Alex Stoll**  
Eric and Jody Stoll

*CDA Spring  
Salad  
Luncheon  
"April  
Showers  
Bring  
May  
Flowers"*



**Join in the fun!**

**Sat., May 4 at St. Joseph Parish Center  
Doors open at 11 a.m. Lunch at 11:30 a.m.  
Fashions by "Sara At Elegance"  
\$10/person**



**IT'S TIME FOR THE**

# **TREASURE CHEST GARAGE SALES**

## **SUMMER SCHEDULE:**

**FRI. AND SAT., MAY 24-25**

**FRI. AND SAT., JULY 5-6**

**FRI. AND SAT., JULY 26-27**

**FRI. AND SAT., AUG. 30-31**

**HOURS ARE FRIDAY: 7-5; SATURDAY: 8-12**

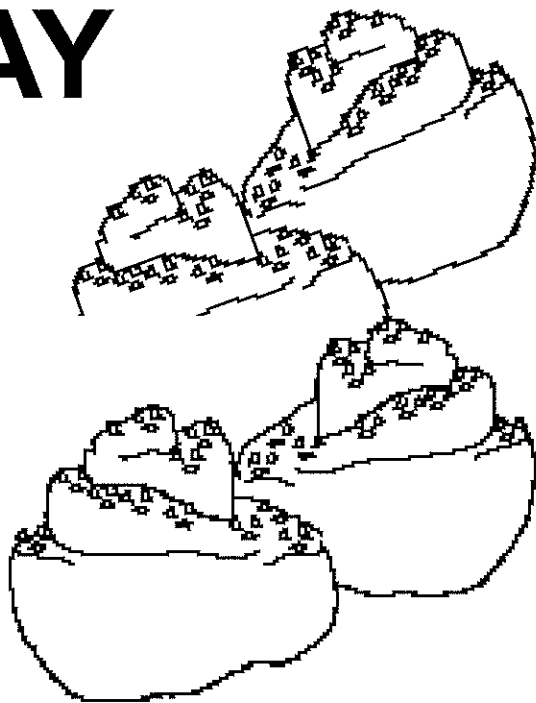
**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH  
MILFORD, IA**



**ITEMS ARE NOW  
BEING ACCEPTED.  
CALL MARY LOU 338-2162  
OR THE PARISH OFFICE  
338-2274.**

# **MEMORIAL DAY Weekend Cinnamon Roll Event**

sponsored by the  
**Rosary/Altar Society**



## **The Work Schedule:**

- ✓ **Bakers:** Loretta Halbur and Patti Scott
- ✓ **Frosters:** (9 a.m. Sat., May 25) (Need 3)  
**Alice Mulder,**
- ✓ **Packing Ladies:** (Sat., May 25 @ 2 p.m.) (Need 3)
- ✓ **Sellers at 4 p.m.:** (3:30 Sat., May 25) (Need 3)
- ✓ **Sellers at 5:30 p.m.:** (5 p.m. Sat., May 25) (Need 3)
- ✓ **Sellers at 7:30 a.m.:** (7 a.m. "Just In Case" Sun., May 26 (2)??)
- ✓ **Sellers at 9 a.m.:** (Sun., May 26 @ 8:30 a.m.)  
(Need 2)





Fr. Tim Johnson will celebrate Mass at Calvary Cemetery on Mon., May 27, 9 a.m. Please bring your lawn chairs. In case of inclement weather, the Mass will be held at the church. The Knights of Columbus will serve refreshments following the Mass.

The Milford Legion will have their Memorial Day program at 11 a.m. at Florence Park, in Milford.

Our friends and relatives who have died since last Memorial Day will be remembered including the following from the St. Joseph Parish Family:

+Mary Davenport  
+Alan Langel  
+Virginia Meyer  
+Elizabeth Kelly-Spies  
+Joy Sheley  
+James Trebbien  
+Dr. Maurice Northup  
+John "Bud" Brooks  
+Frank Petska

+Larry Pick  
+Scott Hughes  
+Patricia Lynch  
+John "Dick" Notestine  
+Alfred Gerdes  
+Harold Eilers  
+Mary Negus  
+Jeffrey Eggers

# Ticket, Ticket, who's got the tickets? You Do.



On the back page is a sheet of 12 tickets for the St. Joseph Rosary/Altar Quilt Raffle for you to (1) purchase yourself or (2) sell to others. Tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5. Every woman of the parish is a member of the Rosary/Altar Society. Fill out the stubs and return with \$10 in the collection basket or to the office. Tickets will also be available for purchase on the church website: [stjosephmilford.org](http://stjosephmilford.org) with a PayPal account. Drawing will be held Sept. 3, 2019. All proceeds will be given to the Altar/Rosary Society for their work at St. Joseph Catholic Church.

This generous 100 x 100 inch king-sized quilt will be on display at various times throughout the summer in the parish center and the office.

The quilt will also fit nicely on a queen-sized bed also.

Two pillow shams are included this year. (Shown on the left and right).





# 50th Anniversary Blessing Weekend

Have you been married 50 years or longer? We are looking for you! The Diocese of Sioux City and St. Joseph will once again recognize couples who have been married for at least 50 years. This special recognition program started in May of 2002. During Masses the weekend of June 22-23, 2019 couples married for 50 years or longer will be honored. Our computer has generated the following names of couples who we believe have been married for 50 or more years. The couples marked with an asterick are those who have reached the 50-year mark since last year or are new in this parish and have not been given a certificate from the Diocese. Please call the Parish Office if our intentions are incorrect.

Ray and Colleen Anderson  
Dennis and Donna Asher\*  
Bill and Cheryl Aumer  
Mick and Jeanette Baack  
Ron and Jean Baack  
Les and Kathy Banwart  
Rick and Ann Barry  
Bill and Ramona Boese\*  
Robert and Kathy Brown\*  
Don and Linda Breuker  
Don and Connie Cable  
Jerry and Irene Clark  
Richard and Mary Jo Coffey  
Larry and Kay Cook  
Tom and Lois Crane  
David and Linda DeMuth  
Darial and Dorothy Determan  
Dennis and Lois Dotson\*  
Bonnie and Bill Duhn  
Bob and Kathy Eilers  
John and Maxine Elser  
Bob and Donna Elser  
Gordon and Patricia Graves  
Richard and Elaine Gross  
Dirk and Diana Hansen  
Ray and Clarice Heller  
Bob and Marilyn Higgins  
Ron and Karen Jurgens  
Thomas and Linda Keenan  
Al and Ramona Kennedy  
Gary and Dee Kilpatrick  
Dennis and Alma Klute  
Jim and Judy Koenig\*

Bernie and Donna Kramer  
Terry and Judy Kramer  
Douglas and Patricia Kratz  
David and Linda Kuker  
Dale and Mary Langel  
Wayne and Glatha Langel  
Dennis and Dori Lippon\*  
Bob and Linda Louwagie  
Ted and Joanne Lyons  
Philip and Ruthann Maschka  
George and Becky Maurer  
Arnie and Judy McIntosh  
Thomas and Peggy Muhlbauer  
Bob and Marilyn Mulhern  
Phil and Jan Nau  
John and Shirley Ney  
Gary and Jan Pithan  
Charles and Mary Reckard  
Quentin and Diana Reifenrath  
Tom and Kathy Rieck  
Bill and Marge Ruml  
Clayton and Billie Schuett  
Art and Dorothy Schultz  
Dan and Linda Seivert  
Robert and Annabell Soat  
Ron and Carol Swartz  
Merlin and Maxine Theis  
Dean and Janis Ulrich  
Jerry and Pat Westcott  
John and Tutti Willison  
Ed and Marjorie Wollner  
Wayne and Barb Woodley  
Jack and Ginny Yore



# Altar/Rosary Omelette Breakfast



**Let Us Cook Breakfast For You!**  
**Sun., June 23 8 a.m. - Noon**  
in the Parish Center.

Your choice of bacon, ham, green pepper,  
cheese, mushroom and onion omelets.

Freshly baked cinnamon rolls will be  
available. Free will offering.

Proceeds to support the work  
of the these fine organizations!

Hope to see you there!

# **Rosary/Altar Omelet Breakfast Sunday, June 23**

## **Omelet cookers (6)**

1. Susan Reiser
2. Sharon Mayer
3. Chris Hinshaw
- 4.
- 5.
- 6.

## **Kitchen Help:**

- 1.
- 2.

## **Orange Juice Servers (2)**

- 1.
- 2.

## **Coffee servers (4)**

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

## **Roll Bakers (Full)**

Loretta Halbur  
Patti Scott

## **Roll Servers (2)**

- 1.
- 2.

## **Dishes:**

- 1.
- 2.

## **Clean-up**

ALL

## **Table Busing & Setting**

- 1.
- 2.

## **Money Table**

1. Jean Kennedy
2. Mary Lou Schroeder

# Catholic Daughters News



Due to the lack of a quorum on March 26, 2019, our meeting was postponed to Thursday, April 4, 2019. Regent Darlene called the meeting of Our Lady of La Salette # 1585 at 6:00. Following an opening prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance, roll call showed 4 officers and 11 members present. The minutes of the last meeting were read, amended and approved. Correspondence included a thank you from LRH for the layette items and a letter from state about the upcoming Lifesaver project. Patti gave the treasurers report showing a balance of \$3,395.18 in checking and \$2,398.50 in savings for total court assets of \$5,793.68. Bills were presented

from Linda H for rosaries and from Cheryl for postage and treats for the office staff. They were approved and will be paid.

Chairmen reports included Diana K on the Salad Luncheon. More discussion in new business. Cheryl reported that our Lifesaver weekend will be May 12th due to conflicts with every week until then. Loretta reported a good turnout at the healing Mass. Next one will be in May.

No Circle of Love reports were given,

Old Business: Discussion was held on the upcoming state convention to be held on April 26-28 at Arrowood Resort. We have all the spots filled from our court.

New Business: CDA mass will be April 7th at 8:00. Sign-up sheet was passed around for help with this mass. We will not be assisting with mass until September due to the number of people required for each mass and the low number of members who are able to assist. Diana passed around sign-up sheets for workers, table decorations and salad choices for our May 4th luncheon. This will be our 37th salad luncheon. Jan P and Diana have been working on getting all the bases covered. Tammy D has been working on the door prizes for the raffle. It seems we "dropped the ball" on our scholarship applications this year but we now have the names of the students who are eligible for the award. Application forms and instructions will be sent to these students with a due back date of April 20th. The committee will get them at our next meeting on April 23 with the awards to be announced at Senior Mass on May 5th.

Alma has asked if we could create a "petty cash" fund for use in her transactions. A motion was made, seconded and approved to create such a fund in the amount of \$20.00. Ramona and Linda H are working on a project for our Fall Food Festival. More details next meeting.

Financial Secretary Julie reported we have 59 members. Several members paid their dues for 2019.

Darlene thanked the lunch committee and announced the April meeting date of April 23rd and the serving committee

Donna read the closing prayer and the meeting was adjourned at 6:50.

Respectfully submitted,

**Cheryl Aumer**

Cheryl Aumer

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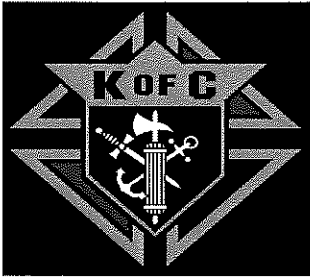
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# Knight News

By Don Breuker



## Knights News St Joseph Council 7284 April Review

**Scholarships:** We have 11 applicants this year for our 4 scholarships. The Scholarship Committee is going through the applications and will meet to make the selection. Presentation will be on Sunday evening May 12th at the OHS Ceremony. We will release and publish the names next month.

**Meetings:** Change of Day: Some of our members of the Council have conflicts on Thursday nights especially during the summer. At our last Council meeting it was decided that April through August we will meet on the fourth (4th) Wednesday of the month. Same time and same place.

**Senior Men in High School:** The Knights of Columbus has a program to bring in senior men as members at the age of 17 ½. We did meet with the young men and we have one new Knight-To-Be that has submitted his application. If there are others, we invite you to join. Contact any Knight.

**Tradition for Graduates:** For many years our Council has donated the Rosaries to all those graduating from our Parish. The praying of the Rosary tells us a story and it is a way to pause and reflect. Just maybe, Jesus talks to us and if we listen we can hear him. His Mother Mary is deep part of the Rosary and she can give us a lot of support and guidance. That is, if we are willing to listen and let her. Actually, there are 4 different stories that can be used when praying the Rosary. Oh yea, it is old fashioned. Maybe rekindling or starting some of the 'old fashioned' things can give us some inner peace. Try it. It just might be for you.

**Disaster Relief Fund:** For the most part, in comparison, we are very fortunate in our area of NW Iowa. So many people have been affected by the flooding of this late winter/early spring. The Iowa State Council has a program to help people that have been hit by disasters. At our last meeting it was decided that proceeds from our April Koffee and Rolls would go to the Iowa Knights of Columbus Disaster Relief Fund. After further discussion, it was decided that the Council would match \$2 for \$1 donated up to \$500. So, with the Cinnamon Rolls and Carmel Rolls of Sunday the 14th, the donations received was \$111 and the Council will give \$222 for a total being donated of \$333.

**State Convention:** The Iowa Knights of Columbus State Convention is May 3-4-5. It is being held in Des Moines this year. Friday the 3rd is mainly 4th Degree Ceremony, 4th Degree Meeting and Banquet that evening. The Convention itself really starts on Saturday morning with a Banquet in the evening and then on Sunday ending about 1:00. Each and every Council may have two Delegates. It is an opportunity to participate in the decision-making process of the State Council. We still have openings for Delegates. Also, any Knight may attend. There are some good break out sessions along with displays. It provides one with some good ideas and the sharing of ideas. Contact Chris Jones or Brad Shell for registration and details.

### April

April 24th – Wednesday - Council Meeting. First Degree at 6, meal at 6:30, Meeting at 7:00

### May

May 12th – KC Mass – 10 a.m.

May 19th – KC Koffee and Rolls 9-11 a.m.

May 22nd – Wednesday - Council Meeting. Social at 6, Meal at 6:30. Meeting at 7:00

May 27th – Memorial Day Mass at Cemetery – Coffee and Rolls after Mass - Tentative

## Peace and Justice

The St. Joseph's Peace and Justice Committee met on April 3, 2019 at 8:02 a.m. in Nazareth Hall. Members present were Carol Lee, Connie Bjornstad, Merlin Wuebker, Fran Cerny, Kathy Christensen, Fr. Tom Flanagan, Dennis Lippon, Larry Lavin and Bob Moore.

- Opening prayer given by Fr. Tom.
- The March 6, 2019 minutes were approved.
- Financial statement reviewed
- Richard Hildebrand introduced as our guest speaker. Rich, a former shop teacher in Spirit Lake, mentioned his mission work in Tanzania, Haiti, Nicaragua, Ghana, El Salvador and locally with Habitat for Humanity and Ingham Lake project. His work is funded through local donations as well as some corporate donations of money, tools and materials.
- Discussion on Sr. Crispina's Orphanage and her needs. Motion by Larry Lavin to cover the cost of their catechist, \$1200.00, second by Connie Bjornstad – approved.
- Lakes Regional Hospital Chaplain wage – Dennis to check.
- CAASA donation – tabled to next meeting.
- Birthright of Spencer – Follow up from March meeting as to some of their needs including diapers, baby wipes, baby oil, etc. Discussion as to possibility of having a drop off place at St. Joseph's for such items. Dennis to discuss with Fr. Tim. Motion by Fr. Tom to donate \$500 to Birthright seconded by Dennis – approved.
- Discover House Spirit Lake – This facility solely funded by local organizations and citizens. Motion by Bob Moore to donate \$500, seconded by Larry Lavin – approved.
- Richard Hildebrand – Discussion regarding his mission work and the possibility of him providing his expertise in our sister parish in Haiti. Dennis will discuss further with him. Motion by Dennis to donate \$500 toward Rich's ongoing work seconded by Carol Lee – approved.
- JJ School of Music, Spirit Lake – This is a relatively new venture by some talented local ladies who have provided music here at St. Joseph's numerous times. They are starting a scholarship fund to provide music lessons to those who have limited resources. Motion by Fran Cerny to donate \$500 toward this fund seconded by Connie Bjornstad – approved.
- Opus Spiritus Sancti – Discussion on the needs of two clergy members of this group. Motion by Bob Moore to donate \$1000 to help defray the costs for these two clergy seconded by Kathy Christensen – approved.
- Next meeting May 1, 2019 at 8 a.m. in Nazareth Hall.
- Closing prayer by Carol Lee.
- Adjourned at 9:08 a.m.

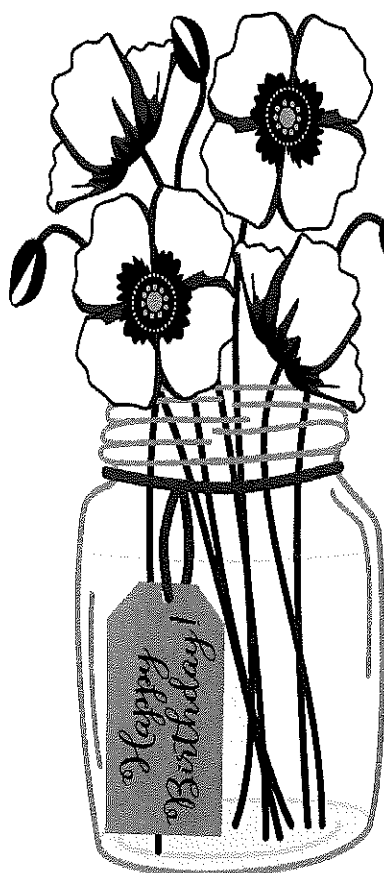
Minutes submitted by Bob Moore

**“Let the first act of every morning be to make the following  
resolve for the day:**

- I shall not fear anyone on Earth.**
- I shall fear only God.**
- I shall not bear ill will toward anyone.**
- I shall not submit to injustice from anyone.**
- I shall conquer untruth by truth. And in resisting untruth, I  
shall put up with all suffering.”**

**(Mahatma Gandhi)**





# May

## BIRTHDAYS

|                    |                      |                       |                     |
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| 1 Karess Knudtson  | 9 Blake Leigh        | 20 Noah Fairchild     | 27 Rick Bierstedt   |
| 1 Karen Naber      | 9 Joe Runchey        | 20 Benita Nelson      | 27 Elaine Mehan     |
| 1 Steve Painter    | 10 Deb Harmelink     | 21 Adam Berglund      | 28 Mitzi Maranell   |
| 1 Roger Ruble      | 10 Judy Koenig       | 21 Kathy Brown        | 28 Dennis Mart      |
| 1 Tom Rueland      | 11 Robert Kollasch   | 21 Danielle Johnson   | 28 Emily Sorenson   |
| 2 Ryan Clark       | 11 Colson Myers      | 21 Diana Lindsey      | 29 Denise Hunziker  |
| 2 George Maurer    | 11 Cindy Rush        | 21 Jody Stoll         | 29 Josh Hyatt       |
| 2 Teresa Place     | 12 Brandon Berning   | 22 Scarlett Fairchild | 30 Paul Skopec      |
| 3 Cailyn Wycoff    | 13 Celeste DeVos     | 22 Teresa Spear       | 30 Tabetha Waggoner |
| 4 Kim Brouwer      | 13 Alex McHugh       | 23 Kathy Hesseltine   | 31 Rod Black        |
| 4 Kristina Miller  | 13 Leah Sorenson     | 24 Alex Heller        | 31 Joan Langel      |
| 5 Teresa Pearson   | 13 Jolene Wintz      | 24 Mark Johnson       | 31 Phillip Lindsay  |
| 6 Stephanie Berg   | 14 Becky Clark       | 24 Larry Lavin        | 31 Michael Welter   |
| 6 Edward Buhrman   | 14 Laurie Langel     | 24 Dan Seivert        |                     |
| 6 Jane Mehalovich  | 14 Beverly Sporrer   | 24 Brandon Svoboda    |                     |
| 6 Hayden Shortley  | 16 Larry Arndt       | 25 Janet Hodapp       |                     |
| 6 Luther Shortley  | 16 Kaylee Arnold     | 25 Alma Klute         |                     |
| 7 Zachary Skopec   | 16 Dennis Goetzinger | 25 Jan Ortmeier       |                     |
| 7 Michael Sewell   | 17 Diana Abbas       | 25 Clayton Schuett    |                     |
| 8 David Kuker      | 17 Robert Brown      | 26 Alan Booge         |                     |
| 8 Joe Mayer        | 18 Patricia Adams    | 26 Bill Cook          |                     |
| 8 Rose Teege       | 18 Bernie Saggau     | 26 Phyllis Hintz      |                     |
| 9 Gregory Branaugh | 18 Patricia Scott    | 26 Cory Knudtson      |                     |

| May 2019 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 19       | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26       | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |    |



# May Volunteer Ministry Schedule

## Third Sunday of Easter

### Saturday, May 4 @ 4:30 p.m.

**EMES:** (6) Bonnie Duhn, Jerilyn Streit, Chris and Connie Bjornstad, Mary Dunleavy, Bernie Kramer

**GREETERS:** Volunteers

**LECTOR:** Kathy Eilers

**SERVERS:** Kaleb Peschong, Oliver Miller

**USHERS:** Kraninger Family

**GIFTS:** Volunteers

### Sunday, May 5 @ 8 a.m.

**EMES:** (5) Deb Travis, Tom and Terri Rierison, Mark and Deb Johnson

**GREETERS:** Volunteers

**LECTOR:** Teresa Place

**SERVERS:** Logan Heller, Jerron Heller

**USHERS:** Julie Reynolds, Pat & Jeff Rolfes

**GIFTS:** Volunteers

### Sunday, May 5 at 10 a.m.

#### SENIOR MASS and Praise Band

**EMES:** (6) Connie Lange, Donna Clark, Marlys Nolan, Jean Petitti, Chad Harms, Susan Willette

**GREETERS:** Jack and Julie Kliegl, Seniors

**LECTOR:** Students

**SERVERS:** Tyler and Alissa Wittrock

**USHERS:** Jim and Irene McCoy

**GIFTS:** Students

**CHILDREN'S LIT:** Heidi Wittrock

## Fourth Sunday of Easter

### Saturday, May 11 @ 4:30 p.m.

**EMES:** (6) Eldon Kraninger, Paul and Holly Skopec, Tony Peschong, Kathy Eilers

**GREETERS:** Barb and Wayne Woodley

**LECTOR:** Chris Bjornstad

**SERVERS:** Addison Frerichs, Will Anderson

**USHERS:** Doug Heller, Mark & Molly Foss

**GIFTS:** Dick Long Family

### Sunday, May 12 @ 8 a.m.

**EMES:** (5) Jeff and Pat Rolfes, Bob and Kay Sewell, Ron Swartz

**GREETERS:** Volunteers

**LECTOR:** Lois Eckard

**SERVERS:** Dalton Kilgore, Loretta Halbur

**USHERS:** Jim and Irene McCoy

**GIFTS:** Bob Sewell Family

### Sunday, May 12 @ 10 a.m.

#### KC and Contemporary Mass

**EMES:** (6) KC's

**GREETERS:** KC's

**LECTOR:** KC's

**SERVERS:** Dakota McDonald, Jocelyn Heller

**USHERS:** KC's

**GIFTS:** KC's

**CHILDREN'S LIT:** Molly Foss

## Fifth Sunday of Easter

### Saturday, May 18 @ 4:30 p.m.

**EMES:** (7) Dick and Connie Mataloni, Mike and Becky Wittrock, Tony Peschong, Jim and Laurie Murray

**GREETERS:** Chris and Connie Bjornstad

**LECTOR:** Joseph Schmidt

**SERVERS:** Cheyenne Nelson, Noah Walleck

**USHERS:** Bill and Cheryl Aumer

**GIFTS:** KC Members

### Sunday, May 19 @ 8 a.m.

**EMES:** (5) Steve and Kris Feld, Ron Swartz, Jeff Knudtson, Darlene Moritz

**GREETERS:** Volunteers

**LECTOR:** Loretta Halbur

**SERVERS:** Asher Knudtson, Kailee Herman

**USHERS:** Carol Swartz, Lyn Moritz

**GIFTS:** Volunteers

### Sunday, May 19 @ 10 a.m.

**EMES:** (7) Terry and Lori Gray, Deb Faulkner, Gary and Jan Pithan, Aaron and Erin Lorch

**GREETERS:** Mick & Jeanette Baack

**LECTOR:** Susan Willette

**SERVERS:** Dylan and Brian Jones

**USHERS:** Harmelink Family

**GIFTS:** Gary Pithan Family

**CHILDREN'S LIT:** Faith Garcia (Season Final)

## Sixth Sunday of Easter

### Summer Schedule Begins!

### Saturday, May 25 @ 4 p.m.

**EMES:** (7) Karen Naber, Jim Baumgard, Jim and Laurie Murray, Aaron Hyatt, Ray and Carla Schley

**GREETERS:** Dick and Connie Mataloni

**LECTOR:** Nancy Crepeau

**SERVERS:** Andrew Frerichs, Isabel Nelson

**USHERS:** Kathy Eilers, Bonnie Duhn

**GIFTS:** Roger Wittrock Family

**PC TECH:** Streit

### Saturday, May 25 @ 5:30 p.m.

**EMES:** (5) Larry Arndt, Steve Eral, Connie Jones, Jim and Irene McCoy

**GREETERS:** Larry and Mary Arndt

## May Volunteer Ministry Schedule

**LECTOR:** Lois Eckard

**SERVERS:** Melika Smith, Alex Stoll

**USHERS:** Sharon and Jim Metzger

**GIFTS:** Family

**Sunday, May 26 @ 7:30 a.m.**

**EMES:** (5) Bev Kruger, Loretta Halbur, Charree Sweeten, Faith Garcia, Jeff Nelson

**GREETERS:** Jeff and Pat Rolfes

**LECTOR:** Darlene Moritz

**SERVERS:** John Garcia, Jay Garcia

**USHERS:** Terri and Tom Rierson

**GIFTS:** Volunteers

**Sunday, May 26 @ 9 a.m.**

**EMES:** (9) Patti Scott, Roger and Cheryl Moss, Tom and Jan Johnson, Connie Hinrichs, Cory Knudson, Bob and Kay Sewell

**GREETERS:** Ted and Joann Lyons

**LECTOR:** David Johnson

**SERVERS:** Dawson Kuker, Liam Knudtson

**USHERS:** Wayne and Barb Woodley

**GIFTS:** Philip Walleck Family

**PC Tech:** Jack and Julie Kliegl

**Sunday, May 26 @ 10:30 a.m.**

**Contemporary Mass**

**EMES:** (6) Dori Lippon, Denise Cole, Mike and Becky Wittrock, Pat Graves, Donna Elser

**GREETERS:** Curt and Susan Willette

**LECTOR:** Irene McCoy

**SERVERS:** Caleb Jones, Nick Stein

**USHERS:** Donna Clark, Bob Elser

**GIFTS:** Kraig Vos Family



### NOVENA of MASSES

Remember that special woman in your life: your wife, mother, grandmother, aunt, sister or friend in the Mother's Day Novena of Nine Masses which begin Mon., May 13. Cards for this purpose are in the church lobby. Deadline for inclusion in the bulletin is Wed., May 8 at 12 noon.

## Celebrating

*An Anniversary This Month*

- 3 Jeff and Sharon Knudtson
- 5 Eldon and Mary Kraninger
- 5 Chad and Nicole McDonald
- 5 Jack and Linda Schaben
- 8 Emil and Sue Richter
- 9 Kathy and Jerry Welter
- 13 David and Becky Rayner
- 19 Mark and Pam Fisher
- 19 Dan and Cailin Wycoff
- 23 Philip and Abby Walleck
- 24 Tim and Denise Cole
- 24 Adam and Jennifer Kraninger
- 25 Barb and Wayne Woodley
- 27 Jim and Julie Delperdang
- 27 Robert and Annabelle Soat
- 31 Jim and Judy Koenig
- 31 Jerome and Pat Westcott



Parish Offices will be closed Mon., May 27 in observance of the Memorial Day holiday. Mass will be held at Calvary Cemetery at 9 a.m. Bring your lawn chair. Refreshments will be served following Mass.

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