

The Saint Joseph Journal

Form Community. Share the Good News of Christ. Be Witnesses for Christ in Everything We Do.

We are all a little surprised that November has arrived already. The height of summer does not seem that far in the past but cooler weather and falling leaves beautifully reminds us that the great procession of the changing of the seasons continues around us.

The Month of November is traditionally a time for all of us to take stock of our lives a bit and to be moved to gratitude with family and friends at our Thanksgiving celebrations. Here at St. Joseph's, we are making preparations for a number of important events.

• We would like to inaugurate our annual food drive to support efforts here in Dickinson County to meet the needs of the many folks here in our own county who do not have the security to provide adequate nourishment for them selves and their children. I think that all of you would be surprised at the number of requests that we get each week for assistance to families. Up-

Our Parish

By Fr.
Brian
Hughes



per Des Moines and the Dickinson County Food Coalition make great strides to assist the

This act of kindness can strengthen our resolve to seek the face of Christ in our brothers and sisters. Jesus himself tells the story of the great king at the end of time who calls out among the blessed, "Come, you who are blessed by my Father. Inherit

the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, a stranger and you welcomed

Food Drive for Hunger



hungry here in our own back yard. We would like to support the work of those two organizations with a November "Thanksgiving" Food Drive. We encourage all parish members to pick up a few extra non-perishable food items each time they go to the grocery store during the month of November.

me, naked and you clothed me, ill and you cared for me, in prison and you visited me ... Whatever you did for the for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me." Many thanks for your generosity to our November food drive. If you would

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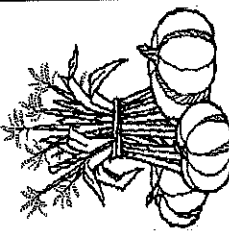
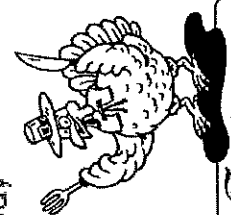
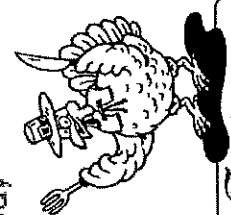
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November 2021



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 1 ✓ 7:30 a.m. Mass for All Saints Day ✓ AA-ALANON 8 p.m. - Nazareth	2 ✓ Eucharistic Adoration 2-5:15 pm ✓ Mass at 5:30 p	3 Rel. Education K-4: 3:45-5 p.m. 7 pm.: 6-12:	4 ✓ Bible Study 8 a.m. Nazareth	5 Communion Calls by Deacon Darwin	6 4 p.m. Mass 5 p.m. Veteran's Soup Supper, PC	
7 ✓ Mass at 9 am 5 p: Young Adults at St. Jo	8 ✓ No Mass Today ✓ AA-ALANON 8 p.m. - Nazareth	9 ✓ Eucharistic Adoration 2-5:15 pm ✓ Mass at 5:30 p	10 Rel. Ed K-4: 3:45-5 p ✓ 6-12: 7- 8 p.m ✓ 8 pm Youth Group	11 Bible Study 8 a.m. - Naz 11 a.m. Ones meet at Betsy's Diner at Village West	12 13 4 p Mass Altar/Rosary Dues Collection	
14 Mass at 9 am Altar/Rosary Dues Collection ✓ 5 p: Young Adults at St. Jo.	15 No Mass Today ✓ AA-ALANON 8 p.m. - Nazareth	16 ✓ Eucharistic Adoration 2-5:15 pm ✓ Mass at 5:30 p	17 Rel. Education K-4: 3:45-5 p.m. 6-12: 7- 8 p.m. 8 pm Youth Group	18 Bible Study 8 a.m. Nazareth	19 20 Harvest Dinner Prep Work 1 pm 4 p.m. Mass	
21 ✓ Mass at 9 a ✓ Harvest Dinner 11 a.m. - 1 p ✓ 5 p: Young Adults at St. Jo.	22 ✓ No Mass Today ✓ AA-ALANON 8 p.m. - Nazareth	23 Eucharistic Adoration 2-5:15 pm ✓ Mass at 5:30 p ✓ CDA after Mass	24 No Religious Education	25 Mass at 9 a.m. Dinner at 12 noon. Thanksgiving Day 	26 Parish Offices Closed for Thanksgiving Holiday	
28 Mass at 9 a ✓ 5 p: Young Adults at St. Jo.	29 ✓ No Mass Today ✓ AA-ALANON 8 p.m. - Nazareth	30 Eucharistic Adoration 2-5:15 pm ✓ Mass at 5:30 p	 <i>Thanksgiving</i>			

3:32 PM
10/18/21
Accrual Basis

Saint Joseph Catholic Church
Profit Loss Comparison
September 2021

		Sep 21	Sep 20	Jul - Sep 21	Jul - Sep 20
Ordinary Income/Expense					
Income					
	40000 · PARISH INCOME	40,606.31	65,840.15	160,804.91	150,088.61
	41000 · INVESTMENT INCOME	230.36	-3,276.93	-321.05	17.45
	44000 · AUXILIARY INCOME	3,836.13	540.00	11,948.34	4,348.00
	47000 · CONTRIBUTIONS & DONATIONS	2,083.15	610.00	9,263.03	730.00
	49000 · OTHER INCOME	958.44	460.89	2,519.02	2,264.80
	Total Income	47,714.39	64,174.11	184,214.25	157,448.86
Expense					
	50000 · SALARIES AND WAGES	24,559.36	14,648.96	64,524.21	52,260.83
	51000 · ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	13,179.58	7,104.38	15,823.34	15,267.67
	51300 · MISSION EFFECTIVENES	2,986.31	1,261.07	17,791.08	8,653.12
	51400 · BUILDING AND GROUNDS	6,039.13	6,204.46	56,206.91	22,514.05
	51900 · OTHER ADMIN EXPENSES	207.60	352.26	541.35	930.92
	53000 · ASSESSMENTS	2,197.00	2,084.00	6,591.00	6,252.00
	54000 · AUXILIARY EXPENSE	6,633.88	1,950.00	17,470.79	1,682.15
	59000 · OTHER EXPENSES	950.00	1,624.31	3,575.00	5,444.31
	Total Expense	56,752.86	35,229.44	182,523.68	113,005.05
	Net Ordinary Income	-9,038.47	28,944.67	1,690.57	44,443.81
Other Income/Expense					
Other Income					
	49905 · Haiti Connection Income	0.00	850.00	0.00	850.00
	Total Other Income	0.00	850.00	0.00	850.00
Other Expense					
	59905 · Haiti Connection Expense	0.00	5,710.00	0.00	5,710.00
	Total Other Expense	0.00	5,710.00	0.00	5,710.00
	Net Other Income	0.00	-4,860.00	0.00	-4,860.00
	Net Income	-9,038.47	24,084.67	1,690.57	39,583.81

Fr. Hughes

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prefer to make a cash or check donation we will use your gifts to purchase food cards for use at our food pantries.

- On November 21st we are planning for our annual roast beef and ham Harvest Dinner. This is a great event which draws our community together for an enjoyable 11:00 to 1:00 noon meal. We are looking for a few more volunteers to assist with this event. We will have a carry-out option for all feel uncomfortable with a social gathering. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us for this great parish event.

- On Thanksgiving Day we are planning a 12:00 noon meal for the "Home Alone" crowd. If you do not have the opportunity to be with family for Thanksgiving, please join us for a bit of hospitality. If you are going to be joining us, please call the parish office for a reservation so that we can prepare the meal. We will not be offering carry-out.

Great events to help us celebrate our gratitude. Please plan to join us in these important parish activities.

For Your Information

October Statistics

(as of October 20, 2021)

Baptized in Christ:

Kal Michael Mayou
Son of
Matthew and Rebecca
Mayou
Sept. 26, 2021

Weddings

Taylor Mercer and
Jordan Pooock
Oct. 10, 2021

Deaths

+Jerome Westcott
Died: Oct 3, 2021
Buried: Oct. 10, 2021

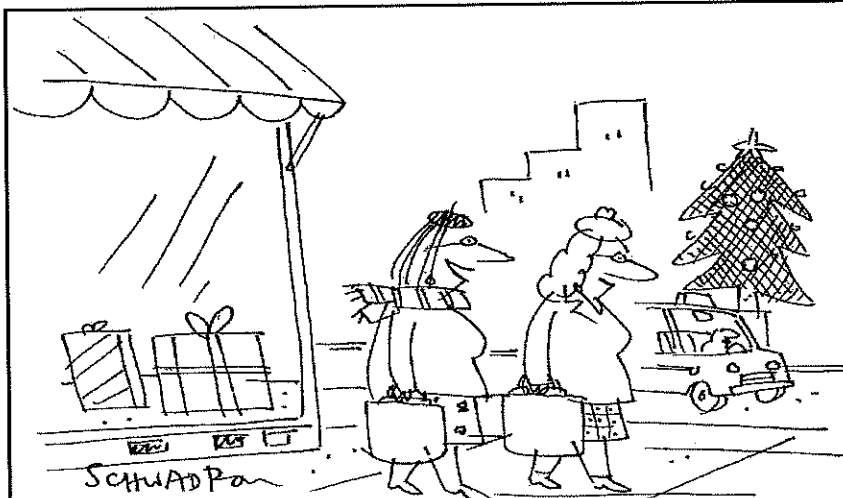
+Alberta Nolan
Died: Oct 3, 2021
Buried: Oct. 12, 2021

+Tina Sattler
Died: Oct. 12, 2021
Buried: Oct. 15, 2021



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

- ✓ Kristy Boyle,
of Spirit Lake;
- ✓ Judy Edmunds,
of Arnolds Park;
- ✓ Paisley and Mike
Gebel, of Terril and
- ✓ Andrew Gross,
of Milford.



"I decided to give everyone on my list a 3-D printer and let them make their own gifts."

All Souls Novena

Remember your loved ones in the All Souls Day Novena of Nine Masses which begin Tues., Nov 2. Envelopes for this purpose are in your packet or located in the church lobby. Deadline for inclusion in the bulletin Wed., Oct. 27 at 12 noon.

TAO Continues

BE GENEROUS - give according to what God has so freely given to you. Please consider a financial gift to the 2021-22 Together as One Appeal, formerly known as Diocesan Annual Appeal (DAA). Please return your contribution in the collection or at the parish office.

Thanksgiving Day Mass

Mass on Thanksgiving Day will be held at St Joseph on Thurs., Nov. 25 at 9 a.m.

**Join us in
Bible Study
Thursdays, 8 a.m. in
Nazareth Hall.
Good Fellowship.
Refreshments.**

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the 20th of the preceding month.

Together In Faith

By Sharon Mayer
Director of Faith Formation

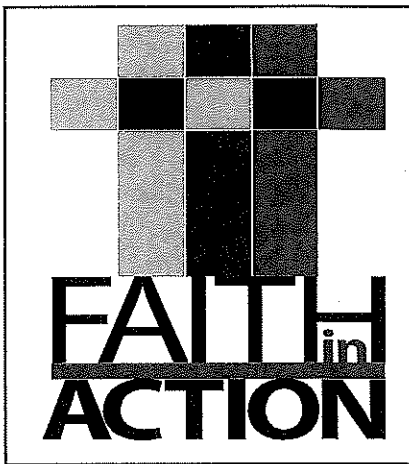
When I think of November I think of that song about the Edmund Fitzgerald, that ship that sunk when the "gales of November came early". That was sung by Gordon Lightfoot. I was lucky enough to see Gordon Lightfoot in concert and he put so much feeling into his songs. That one though makes you shiver with the thought of wind, cold and icy rain. Every year I hope we do not see any of that in November. There are some good things about November though.

We begin with celebrating our Saints. It is fun to teach kids about Saints because they think it is a thing of the past. Think again! Saints are made frequently. One that stands out is the young man who was a computer programmer and whiz. His name is Carlo Acutis from Italy. He already has one miracle since his death in 2006 and is now Blessed Carlo. His feast day is Oct. 12. If the path continues, he will most likely be a patron saint of the internet. His life was devoted to Jesus and he had a special place in his heart for the Eucharistic miracles that have occurred over the many years. He formed a website just for learning about them.

November is also the time we can pray for all the people who have died; not just those who we know are Saints. Saints are those who we know by their life here on earth go directly to heaven and I think sometimes we are given a special sign that lets us know that they have indeed made it. Nothing is impossible with God. Then there are those of us faithful that may not quite be on that same level as those who have been made Saints and need the prayers of people here on earth to help move us along on the path toward heaven. We are human and as such, we have failings, but if you have room in your heart for Jesus and know how to do good for others you will be in His favor. Evil does exist in this world and in people but they really stand out and they need much prayer.

It is in November that we see the end of our current church year and begin another after Thanksgiving. We end with Christ the King Sunday as we honor Jesus, King of the Universe,

be thankful for what we have at Thanksgiving and jump right into Year C with Advent on Nov. 28. I will be especially thankful this year for getting through as I will be set to get a new hip on Nov. 30. This is my second go 'round and will then have 2 new hips. I will be away mostly for the first couple weeks but then plan to be back at it. Another reason I hope snow comes late. I am grateful for the science to be able to replace joints that are shot.





**The 9th Annual
Community Veteran's
Free Soup Supper
sponsored by
Court Our Lady of
LaSalette #1585
will be held
after the
4 p.m. Mass**

**on Sat., Nov. 6, 2021 in the Parish
Center at St. Joseph Catholic Church.**

Doors open at 5 p.m.

**The meal is FREE to veterans and
their spouse or significant other.**

Thank you!

**We appreciate your
service
to our country.**



St. Mary's and St. Joseph's Middle School Youth Ministry Fall Retreat 2021



An interactive study of 1-2 Samuel

November 14, 2021

Noon - 4:30 pm
at

Camp Foster YMCA

Fee: \$20.00/person

Includes lunch, snacks, and activities

Bring: Bible, pen/pencil

Wear: long pants tie shoes, weather
appropriate clothing

Opportunities to participate in..

Scripture study, group discussion, reflection

Challenge Course including Zip line

**Drop off and pick up will be at
Camp Foster YMCA**

**Return the attached paperwork
to: Teresa at St. Joseph or Derek
at St. Mary's Church.**

**For more information:
Teresa at 712-330-1189**

**If you need assistance with the
fee, please contact Teresa.**

**Focus on your Giants
- you stumble.
Focus on God - your
giants tumble.**



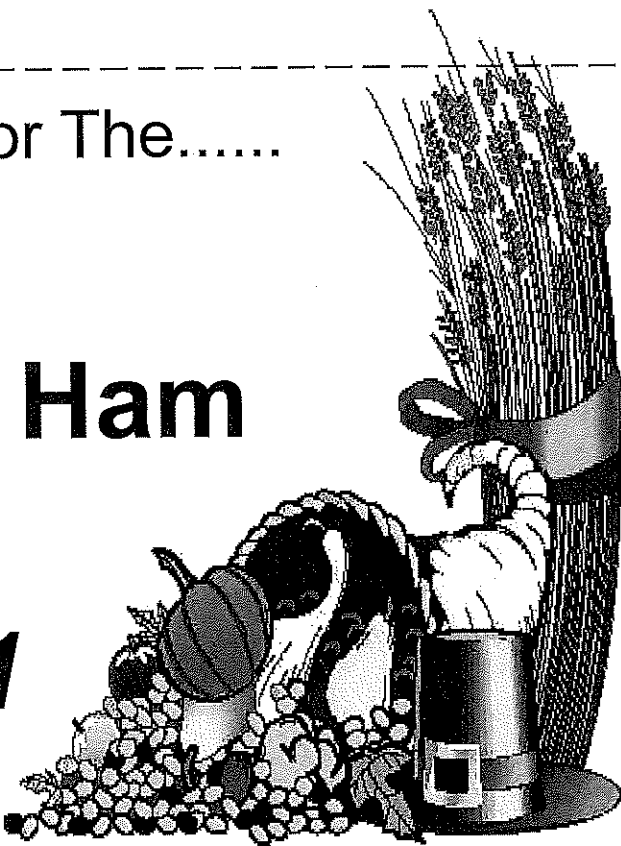
**WANT TO KNOW
THE REST OF
DAVID'S STORY AND
HOW IT APPLIES TO
YOU?**

**JOIN US FOR a FALL
retreat**

✓ Mark Your Calendar For The.....

**2021 Annual
Roast Beef and Ham
Harvest Dinner
Sunday, Nov. 21**

11 a.m. to 1 p.m.



at

Saint Joseph's Parish Center
Milford, IA

**Cost is \$12 for adults; \$5 for children
ages 6-12, with preschoolers eating free!**

*Carry-outs and Milford City delivery will be available.
(If you have covid concerns, please use our carryout service).*

**Call the parish office, 338-2274,
to be on the delivery list.**

(Logistics of meal is subject to change).

**Saint Joseph Parish
1305 Okoboji Ave.
Milford, Iowa 51351
712-338-2274**

Thursday, Oct 21, 2021

Dear Parishioners:

On Sunday, Nov. 21, 2021 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., we will have our annual Harvest Dinner here at Saint Joseph Parish, in Milford. This dinner will include roast beef and ham, real mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, salad and pie. To make this dinner a total success, it needs the cooperation of everyone. Printed elsewhere in this newsletter is a work sheet for that dinner listing the areas where volunteers will be needed. Sign-up sheets will also be in the church lobby in the near future. When all hands work together, we certainly will have a successful operation.

Cost for the dinner is \$12 for adults. Young people under 12 is \$5.00. Under five is free. Once again, all tickets will be entered into a drawing for five \$20 cash prizes.

Please also note that parish members whose last names are from **A-L** are asked to bring **two homemade pies or a pan of dessert**. Those parishioners with last names **M-Z** are asked **a large salad that will feed 12-15 persons**. Please refrigerate your pies if they are of an egg nature. If you cannot bring either, a \$15 contribution is being asked. These pies and salads should be delivered to the church sometime Saturday, Nov. 20 or Sunday, Nov. 21 prior to 10 a.m. Carry-outs will be available.

Again this year we will offer a delivery service. Persons residing within the Milford city limits can order a Harvest Dinner meal to be delivered to their home.

I am looking forward to this annual event so that we can appreciate from the Lord how He is blessing us and that we need to be good stewards. This Harvest Dinner can help remind us of all of that.

If you have any additional concerns or questions, please feel free to call the parish office.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr. Brian

Your Pastor
Fr. Brian Hughes



HARVEST DINNER

Sunday, November 21, 2021 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Volunteer Schedule

Dinner Cooking Committee:

Dean Reiser, Alex Jones, Ron Swartz,
Randy Eckard

Set-Up Saturday, November 20: (1 p.m. Sharp)

Merlin Wuebker	Dorothy Tatman
Mitzi Maranell	Barb Woodley
Wayne Woodley	Cheryl Aumer

Water-Milk-Coffee:

Shift 1 - 10:30-12:00 -

Dori Lippon

Shift 2 - 12:00-1:00 (need 6)

Dori Lippon

Dessert Servers: 1 SHIFT: 9 am. to ???

Cheryl Houseman Rick Houseman

Dishwashers: Shift 1: Entire Shift

Clean-Up: 1 PM (need many)

Many make light work for all!

Bus People: (need 2 adults and 5 youth)

Shift 1: 10:30 until done.

Youth Ministry

Coffee Makers: 1 Shift - All Day - (FULL)

John and Tutti Willison

To be assigned where needed:

Ticket table: Shift 1: 10:30-1 p.m. (Full)

Mary Lou Schroeder Jean Kennedy

Sign-Up Host/Hostess: (2)

Kitchen Helpers:

Shift 1: 10:30-12:00 -

Bob and Linda Louwagie

Scrapers: Youth

KITCHEN Shift 2: 12:00-2:00 (Need 2)

Gravy Maker: Lois Eckard

Salad Servers: ONE Shift - FULL:

10:30 a.m.-1 P.M.

Kollasch Family

Take-Out Line: FULL

Marlene Nelsen

Pam Hanson

Loretta Halbur

Kathy Christensen

Potato Crew (Peelers: 1 p.m. Sat. Sharp)

Potato Mashers and Servers

All Shifts: 10:30-1 p.m. (need 2)

Randy Eckard

Greeters and Seaters:

Shift 1: 10:30-1 p.m. (Entire Shift - FULL)

Patrick and Donna Goebel

Delivery People - (Full)

Merlin Wuebker

Mick Baack

Serving Line (1 shift-10:30 - ? ? FULL)

Bonnie Duhn

Bob Kollasch

**Home alone on Thanksgiving?
No place to go?
You're invited to spend
Thanksgiving with
St. Joseph Parishioners at the
8th annual**



**Thursday,
Nov. 25,
12 noon
St. Joseph
Parish Center**

This dinner was designed to be for those persons who are alone at Thanksgiving and would enjoy the fellowship of others.

Because of covid and social distancing, the dinner is open to the first 100 persons. It is free but a reservation must be made to insure adequate food.

**There will be NO carry-outs or deliveries.
Call the parish office to reserve a spot.**

Get in the Christmas Spirit with the



**Bring new mittens, gloves, scarves,
hats, etc. to be placed on the Mitten Tree
in the church.**

(Tree will be up and ready on Mon., Nov. 29)

**These items will be distributed to less
fortunate families this holiday season.**

**Deadline is Mon., Dec. 13.
Items will be delivered later that week.**



**MEET THE STAFF and
enjoy some
CHRISTMAS CHEER
Sunday, December 12
from 2 to 4 p.m.
to celebrate the
reason for the season
at a Christmas
open house
in the overflow room.
Refreshments.
Fellowship.
Fun.**

**Hosted by the
Rosary/Altar Society**



2021 Christmas Schedule at St. Joseph & St. Mary's

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sunday, Dec. 5

1 p.m. St. Patrick's; 2:30 St. Mary's; 4 p.m. St. Joseph

4th Sunday of Advent

Sunday, Dec. 19

Regular Sunday Masses:

9 a.m. St. Joseph and 10:30 at St. Mary's

Christmas Eve Masses

Friday, Dec. 24

4 p.m. and 12 midnight at St. Joseph

5:30 and 7:30 p.m. at St. Mary's

Christmas Day

Saturday, Dec. 25

9 a.m. at St. Joseph; 10:30 at St. Mary's

Holy Family

Saturday, Dec. 25: 4 p.m. at St. Joseph

5:30 p.m. at St. Mary's

Sunday, Dec. 26: 9 a.m. at St. Joseph

10:30 a.m. at St. Mary's

Feast of Mary New Year's Eve Mass:

Friday, Dec. 31: 4 p.m. at St. Joseph; 5:30 p.m. @ St. Mary's

Feast of Mary New Year's Day Mass:

Saturday, Jan. 1: 9 a.m. at St. Joseph

and 9 a.m. at St. Mary's

Thank You * Thank You * Thank You * Thank You * Thank You
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Thank You!

....To all the advertisers on our new bulletin
cover to be unveiled Oct. 9-10, 2021.

Please patronize these businesses who support
Saint Joseph with their advertising dollars!

A & M Laundry
Abby Walleck Attorney
Breuker Financial Strategies
Carpet One
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Cozy Heat
Duralift
Fairchild Welding
Great Lakes Motors
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Subway
The Three Sons
Tri State Litho
True Value
Turner Funeral Homes
United Community Bank
Vicki Willison Painting
Walker Insurance
Willette Electric

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Rosary/Altar Society

The St. Joseph Rosary/Altar Society met October 12, 2021 in the parish center. Those present: Deacon Messerly, Jerilyn Streit, Susan Reiser, Cheryl Aumer, Lois Eckard, Mary Lou Schroeder, Marlene Nelsen, Mary Beth Gehling, Jean Schmidt, Mitzi Maranell, Myrna Herbers, and Sharon Mayer.

Reiser called the meeting to order at 5:15 p.m. Deacon Messerly gave the opening prayer.

Aumer moved with a second by Eckard to approve the minutes of the July 2021 meeting. All ayes. Carried.

Reiser reported a balance of \$14,023.88 in our account with no bills to pay. Aumer moved with a second by Eckard to approve the report. All ayes. Carried.

BUSINESS

1. Rosary Altar dues will be collected the weekend of November 13 & 14 at both masses.

2. Herbers made a motion with a second by Aumer to approve the yearly Christmas staff remembrance, with the addition of Ali Oyler, Fr. Hughes, Deacon Messerly, and a new custodian. All ayes. Carried. Reiser, Mayer, and Eckard abstained from the vote.

3. The Christmas open house will be held Sunday, December 12th from 2-4. It will be held in the parish center this year. We will need 4 people to bring a dozen bars or cookies and 4 people to bring a dozen small sandwiches.

4. Nelsen made a motion with a second by Schroeder to once again deliver Christmas balloons to the nursing homes and shut-ins. All ayes. Carried.

5. Herbers made a motion with a second by Streit to give Dianne Lowman \$250 for making our 2021 quilt. All ayes. Carried. Reiser abstained from the vote. Our 2022 quilt has been completed and arriving soon. It was donated by Terina Nowlin of Wichita Falls. It placed third in a Texas quilt show.

6. We discussed the costs of a new ice machine (\$3,000), 4 new Deacon vestments (\$2,400) and the new 2022 church calendars (\$500). Schroeder made a motion with a second by Schmidt to approve paying all 3 costs. All ayes. Carried.

7. We may have to raise the price of our cinnamon rolls to \$8 (for 6) next year, due to our rising cost of materials.

GOOD FOR THE ORDER

- We will be in touch with Terina Nowlin before our next meeting, to see if she will allow us to pay for her material costs.

Deacon Messerly gave the closing prayer. Meeting adjourned and we continued with our light meal and fellowship.

Our next meeting will be January 11th, 2022 @ 6 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jerilyn Streit
Secretary

KC News



KC Meeting 23 September 2021

1. Call to Order 8:00 PM. Opening Prayer. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Officer Roll Call. Present were Grand Knight Brad Shell, Deputy Grand Knight Terry Abbas, Outside Guard Dale Hanna, Financial Secretary Brad Shell, Trustee John Heller, Treasurer Doug Heller, Trustee Duane Schnetter, Recorder John Heller, and Lecturer Mick Baack. absent were: Advocate Dave Stein, Inside Guard Robert Kollasch, Chancellor Mark Johnson, Warden Jeff Nelson, Chaplain Fr. Brian Hughes, and Trustee Chris Jones.

5. Previous Meeting Minutes (Approval) Motion Ted L. 2nd Merlin W. Approved

6. GK message: There is an old cliché that says "LET GO AND LET GOD". I think this is very applicable to the amazing achievements of this Council since our last Meeting. I don't know how we did it but God knows. We opened our Council up to the wonderful women of our parish, we produced over 2000 pies, we collected almost \$2,300 for handicapped individuals, and we brought in over \$23,000 in sales of those pies. Stating it does not do justice to the effort made by all of you. I can't tell you how proud I am to be your Grand Knight. I need to be honest I did not always "LET GO AND LET GOD" so if I offended anyone, I apologize. Thanks to the women and you for your faithful support.

MISSION OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: To know, love, and serve God is the mission of the Catholic faithful. That mission is reflected in Section 2 of the Charter of the Knights of Columbus:

The purposes for which said corporation is formed, always consistent with Catholic values and doctrine, are the following: (a) through a system of subordinate councils, along with regional, national, and international convocations, to raise up, support and encourage a fraternity whose members are practical Catholics united by their faith and by the principles of charity, unity, fraternity, and patriotism; (b) through common worship, charitable works, meetings, and rites of initiation, to form its members in Catholic faith and virtue; (c) to render pecuniary aid to its members, their families, and beneficiaries of members and their families; (d) to render mutual aid and assistance to its sick, disabled, and needy members and their families; (e) to promote social and intellectual interaction among its members and their families; (f) to promote and conduct educational, charitable, religious, social welfare, war relief, public relief, and other activities; and (g) to unite members in their Catholic identity and the practice of their Catholic faith.

7. Chaplain's / Lecture's Report NP/ Mick B. said prayer for Zach J.
8. District Deputy Report/Insurance Agent Report: NP
9. Financial Secretary Report
a Bill Approval: \$10,550.88 Motion Joel N. 2nd Bernie K. Approved
10. Treasurer's Report
a. Report Approval: Motion Duane S. 2nd Terry A. Approved
11. Old Business

Thanks to Dale H. and Mark J. for moving Jack Y.

Weekly Bulletin adds for year. Motion Bob M. 2nd Ray S. Approved

a. Pie Making After Action Review (AAR):
i. No Pre-Orders, no dedicated Cell Phone, and No Taking Credit Cards. Need for a Canopy Tabled till next meeting. Help from Women 7 Thank you letters sent out. Freezer Shortage Ok for next year. OPTEMPO of Pie Making. Good with 400 per session.

b. Tootsie Roll Drive AAR: Being Moved Outside. Need Canopy. Started with Four Boxes of Tootsie Rolls
c. Soccer Challenge Sunday 26 September 2021 1 PM at St Joseph Church Field. YMCA POC is Brent O'Hara. Ad in Tuesday's Paper, set up Saturday 3 PM. Need help for Saturday set-up, and Sunday Challenge

d. Spelling Bee: Doug has agreed to oversee. He has contacted State. No Date has been Set. But will be in February

12. New Business

a. Worship Service for Ordination: Wednesday 29 September at 7PM. Deacon will lead Service. Cookies and coffee after Service. Loretta will make cookies, and Knights will serve coffee and cookies. Be at church by 6:30

b. Moving Food for Upper Des Moines: October is our month; Bob Moore has arranged. Schedule is attached.

c. KC Mass and ICE CREAM Social: Saturday October 9th after 4 PM Mass. Pie Baking: We Have 20 Pies Reserved. Soft Serve Ice Cream: Doug Heller has volunteered to provide. Brad Shell will gather Ice Cream Toppings: Fudge, Carmel, Gummy Bears, Nuts, Cherries, Sprinkles. What do we use to serve in? Brad will bring paper bowls and spoons

d. Coats For Kids: Ray Schley, help needed. Do we buy coats?

e. Free Throw Contest: In January no date set.

f. December Food Drive:

g. Fish Fry: Members support a Drive through Fry. Too much going on this Fall so no Fry planned. Father has proposed two dates for Lent: Friday 4 March right after Ash Wednesday, and Friday the 8th of April just before Palm Sunday. Watch for Fish Fryer and Tanks, 2 breeding basket.

13. Good of the Order: Jack Yore, Darial Determon, John Long, Ray Anderson, and Elwood Koelder, Earl Sporrer. Attendance Drawing \$5 Bryce Bonnstetter NP. NEXT MEETING: October 28, 2021. Closing Prayer and Adjourn 8:10 PM. Adjourned.

News and Notes

CDA to Remember Family and Friends

The Catholic Daughters of St Joseph's invite all parishioners to participate with our 'Remembering of Family and Friends' who are missing at our tables as we celebrate All Saints Day, All Souls Day and Thanksgiving.

Beginning October 23, framed photos of your loved ones can be shared on a dining room table that will be on display at the foot of the steps of church. We hope that many parishioners will take part with photos of family and friends through the month of November. Simply bring a photo (preferably 5x7) or smaller to place on the table and pick them up no later than November 26th as we get ready for Advent. You can call Darlene Moritz, Chr. 330-6725 or Deb Johnson 330-2980 with your questions or concerns.



Coats for Kids Campaign Continues

The Knights of Columbus are continuing their "Coats for Kids" project. New coats, snow pants, etc. can be left in the box in the church lobby or at the parish office. Thanks in advance.

Centennial Souvenirs for Christmas Shopping

Do you have a hard to buy for person on your Christmas list? A St. Joseph Centennial souvenir may be just the gift you are looking for! Stop in the parish office. We have the following items available:



Playing Cards \$8



Piggy Bank
\$10



Pot Holder \$5



1/2 Gal
Vase \$20



Pottery
spoon rest
\$10



6" white tile trivet
with fine wood
frame \$12

KC's Host Youth Soccer Challenge

The Milford Knights of Columbus Council 7284 hosted the Knights of Columbus' Annual Area Youth Soccer Challenge in Milford Sunday, September 26, 2021. The KC Soccer Challenge is a competition designed for players aged 9 through 14 to demonstrate the most basic of soccer skills - the penalty kick. Each player was allowed 15 shots at the goal from the penalty line (12 yards from the goal).

Medalists were: Asher Knudtson, 1st place, age 13; Blake Knudtson, 1st place, age 11; Cory

Ness, 1st place, age 10; and Cadence Knudtson, 1st place, age 9.

Pictured left to right, are: front: Asher Knudtson, Cory Ness, Blake Knudtson, and Cadence Knudtson. Second row, left to right, Grand Knight Brad Shell, Mick Baack, Robert Moore, Duane Schnetter, Ray Schley and Doug Heller.



NOVEMBER

Birthdays and Anniversaries at St. Joseph

1 Donald Nolan
 1 David Rayner
 1 Andy Wintz
 1 Andy Wolf
 2 Shirley Ney
 2 Joey Reiser
 3 Patty Determan
 3 Kim Haisman
 3 Darlene Moritz
 3 Connie Newman
 3 Duane Schnetter
 3 Jim Thompson
 4 Rex Guthrie
 4 Nancy Higgins
 4 Mike Hinrichs
 5 John Erdman
 5 Jan Nau
 6 Rick Barry
 6 Sally Clark
 6 Rebecca Dunn
 6 Pam Niggeling
 7 Duane Hurley
 7 Jessica Kelley
 8 Mary Berg
 8 Ramona Boese
 9 Randy Anthony
 9 Raymond Heller
 9 Emily Metzger
 10 Connie Chapman
 10 Carol Lee
 10 David Miller
 10 Michael Schon
 11 Joann Chaffin
 11 Cristopher Halbur
 11 Deborah Johnson
 11 Jeff Lambert
 11 Jared Mehan
 11 August Miller
 11 Kelly Norland
 12 Randy Eckard
 12 Tom Rierson

13 David Anderson
 13 Peyton Hromatko
 13 Dale Langel
 14 Bryce Bonnstetter
 14 Jake Hinshaw
 14 Wes Hunziker
 14 Dennis Lippon
 14 Emil Richter
 14 Stephanie Sauter
 15 Miranda Balster
 16 Ron Baack
 17 Sheila Finch
 17 Brian Langel
 17 Dorothy Tatman
 18 Adam Anderson
 19 Paisley Gebel
 19 Gary Kilpatrick
 19 Dan Muhlbauer
 20 Brian Anliker
 20 Logan Heller
 20 Jeff Knudtson
 20 Thomas Muhlbauer
 20 Andrew Vos
 21 Jerron Heller
 21 Virginia Kelly
 22 Dylan Anderson
 22 Jan Zwagerman
 23 Josie Berg
 23 Grace Goehring
 23 Rod Hawkins
 23 Joe Ponec
 23 Rod Simonson
 23 Ryan Wolterman
 24 Jocelyn Heller
 25 Danielle Hintz
 25 Mary Hawkins
 25 Jack Myers
 27 George Henderson
 27 Trevor Rohwer
 28 Connie Mart
 28 Kay Meyer

28 Benard Siemers
 28 Kraig Vos
 29 Kevin Hollenkamp
 29 Gary Weiskircher
 30 Kay Cook
 30 Kristina Kraninger

November 2021						
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Celebrating *An Anniversary This Month*

1 Randy and Lois Eckard
 1 Brian and Ashley Richter
 2 Amy and Jim Schlueter
 6 Gary and Sue Behrens
 7 Norman and DeEtta Pixler
 11 Marshall and Shelly Matuska
 11 Mike and Jody Sporrer
 12 Scott and Teresa Goehring
 13 Arnold and Judy McIntosh
 15 John and Deb Harmelink
 16 Steve and Carla Painter
 17 Jay and Patti Scott
 20 Bill and Bonnie Duhn
 20 Tom and Peg Muhlbauer
 20 Jack and Lucinda Myers
 22 Patrick and Laura Fairchild
 22 Dan and Linda Seivert
 22 Creighton and Susan Uridil
 24 Mark and Dawn Kramer
 24 Jeff and Charlotte Langel
 26 Bruce and Beth Lorch
 27 Jack and Julie Kliegl
 27 Paul and Sally Schimp
 28 Bryan and Beth McCabe
 28 Billie and Clayton Schuett
 30 Gary and Dee Kilpatrick

November Volunteer Ministry Schedule

Attention USHERS: Just a reminder that during the entire year, you are to count the adults and children attending Mass. There will be a brightly colored form attached to a clip board on the windowsill in the church lobby for you to record these numbers. Please include the form in the collection bag of the last mass on Sunday.

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, November 6 @ 4 p.m.

EMHC: Bonnie Duhn, Deb Faulkner, Paul Skopec, Jerilyn Streit

LECTOR: David Johnson

SERVERS: Isabel Nolan, Ron Swartz

HOSPITALITY MINISTERS: (formerly ushers and greeters) Kraningers, Merlin Wuebker, Dorothy Tatman

Sunday, November 7 @ 9 am.

EMHC: Terry Abbas, Mick Baack, Chris Hinshaw, Patty Scott

LECTOR: Beth Lorch

SERVERS: Bryce Anderson, Will Anderson

HOSPITALITY: Donna Clark, Gary Espinoza, Arend Swygman, Molly Swygman

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, November 13 @ 4 p.m.

EMHC: Kris Feld, Steve Feld, Loretta Halbur, Karen Naber

LECTOR: Irene McCoy

SERVERS: Faith Garcia, John Garcia

HOSPITALITY: Anne Donovan, Doug Heller, Monica Koppen, Jim McCoy

Sunday, November 14th @ 9 a.m.

EMHC: Aaron Lorch, Erin Lorch, Jim Murray, Laurie Murray

LECTOR: Susan Willette

SERVERS: Jocelyn Heller, Jerron Heller

HOSPITALITY: Kurt Eckard, Theresa Eckard, John Heller, Curt Willette

Christ the King

Saturday, November 20 @ 4 p.m.

EMHC: Deb Johnson, Mark Johnson, Chris Jones, Connie Jones

LECTOR: Molly Mulqueen

SERVERS: Ron Swartz, Oliver Miller

HOSPITALITY: Bonnie Duhn, Terri Rierson, Tom Rierson, Merlin Wuebker

Sunday, November 21 @ 9 a.m.

EMHC: Bill Aumer, Cheryl Aumer, Barb Kollasch, Bob Kollasch,

LECTOR: Sara Laven

SERVERS: Cory Knudtson, Liam Knudtson,

HOSPITALITY: Julie Fairchild, Tim Fairchild, Joel Naber, Karen Naber

THANKSGIVING

Thurs. Nov. 25 @ 9 a.m.

EMHC: Holly and Paul Skopec, Karen Naber

LECTOR: Lois Eckard

SERVERS: Ron Swartz, Will Anderson

HOSPITALITY: Joel Naber, Jim and Irene McCoy

First Sunday of Advent

Saturday, November 27 @ 4 p.m.

EMHC: Alma Klute, Jeff Knudtson, Marlene Nelson

LECTOR: Brad Shell

SERVERS: Will Anderson, Kaila Weston

HOSPITALITY: Jim Baumgard, Loretta Halbur, Monica Koppen

Sunday, November 28 @ 9 a.m.

EMHC: Denise Cole, Steve Eral, Chad Harms, Marlys Nolan

LECTOR: Aaron Lorch

SERVERS: Austin Harms, Need one here

HOSPITALITY: Donna Goebel, Patrick Goebel, Myrna Herbers, Paul Herbers



The Soup Kitchen
Committee is
collecting new socks
for the less
fortunate persons of the
Sioux City Soup Kitchen.

We will deliver them in January.
Socks can be left in the church office.