

The Saint Joseph Journal

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

July 1 marks the beginning of a new fiscal year and the beginning for new employees at St. Joseph.

We are welcoming new staff members this month including Erin Lorch and Jacques Bouli and announcing a staff change.

In late April we hired Lorch to replace long-time Director of Religious Education Sharon Mayer. We are grateful for Sharon's many years of service to our parish and children. Sharon will still be around on a part-time capacity helping with RCIA and other projects.

Lorch joins the team as the new St. Joseph Director of Religious Education. She and her husband, Aaron, farm west of Milford near May City. Recently Erin has been teaching at the Okoboji High School. A native of Chicago and a graduate of Loras College, she has been a member of the parish for seven years.

Recently, Jacques Bouli was hired to serve as Youth and Adult Minister, a job shared

Our Parish

By Fr.
Brian
Hughes



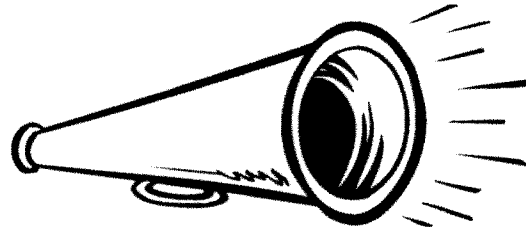
between both parishes. Jacques is a native of Cameroon in West Africa and since his mother was French, he spent part of each year living in France. Jacques entered religious

and his wife, Bridget (Boever), were married three years ago and have one child. They are expecting their second child. Jacques will take over the youth ministry work carried out at St. Joseph by Teresa Goehring.

Teresa has brought great energy and dynamic skill to the many projects

she has undertaken over these past years. Teresa will remain on staff as the coordinator of the Confirmation Formation Program at both parishes.

Lorch, Bouli and Goehring



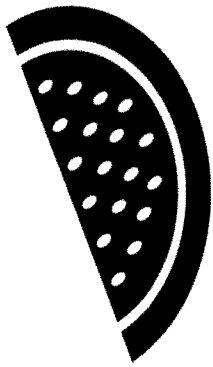
Introducing
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life in France and after several years in a Carthusian Monastery, returned to service in the Church. Until recently Jacques has been the chaplain at Madonna Tower, a senior care center in Rochester, MN. Jacques

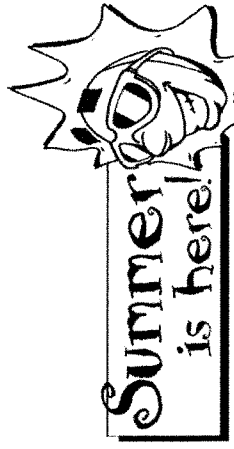
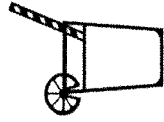
join Deacon Darwin, Susan Reiser, Allison Oyler, Richard Wuebker, Lois Eckard, Jerilyn Streit and Pam Hanson on the St. Joseph Parish staff.

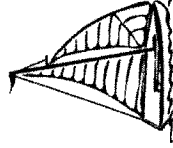
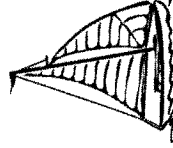
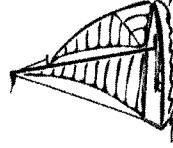
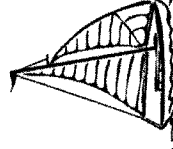
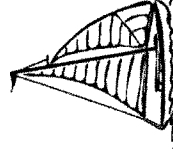
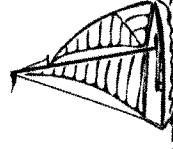
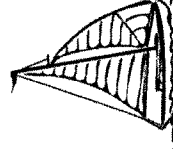
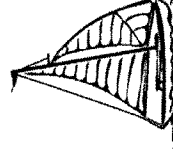
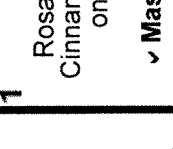
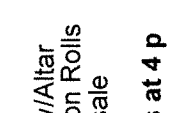
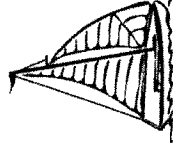
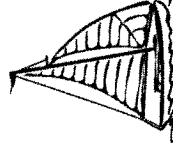
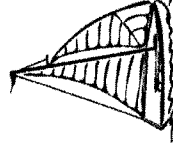
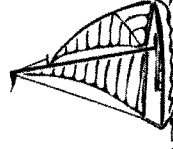
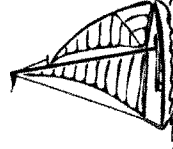
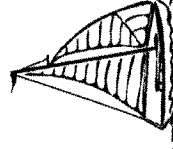
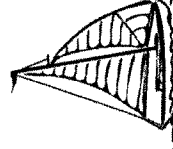
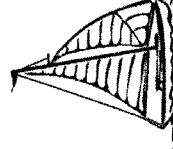
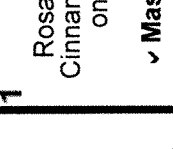
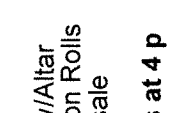
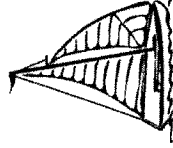
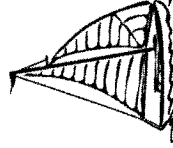
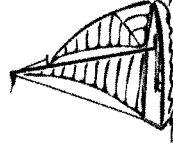
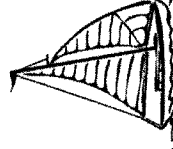
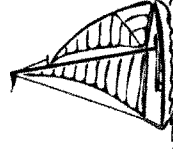
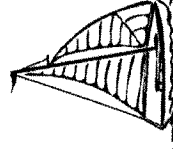
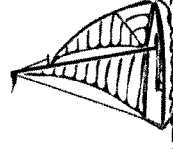
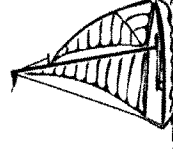
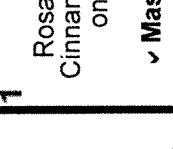
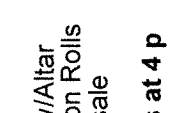
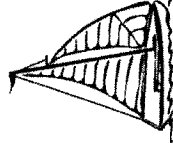
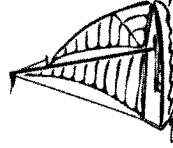
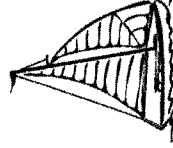
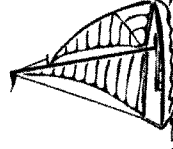
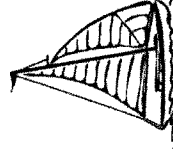
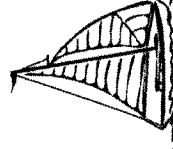
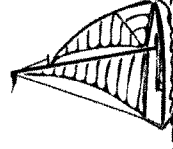
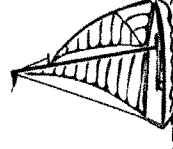
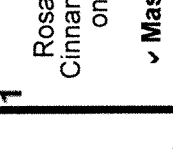
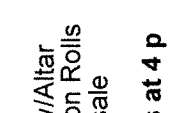
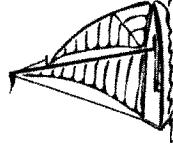
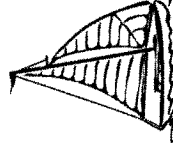
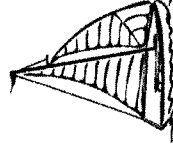
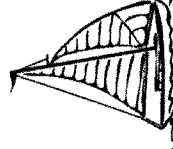
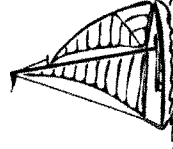
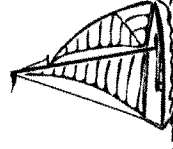
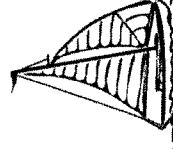
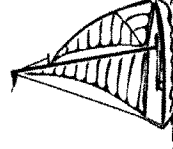
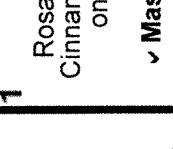
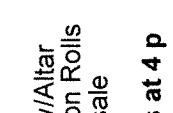
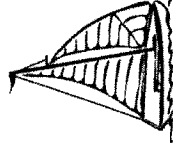
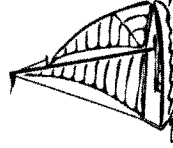
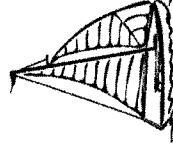
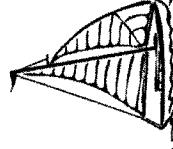
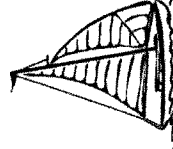
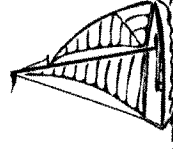
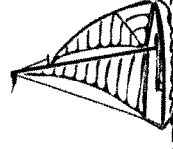
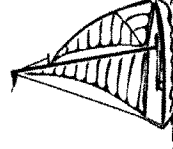
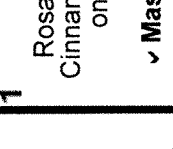
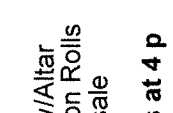
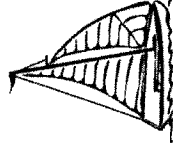
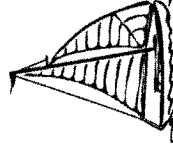
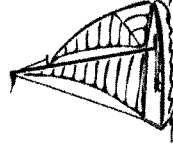
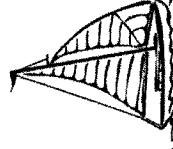
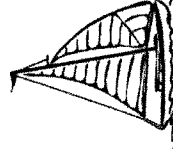
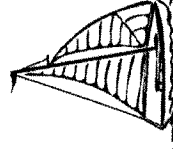
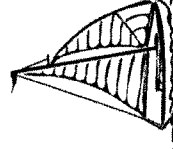
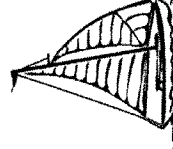
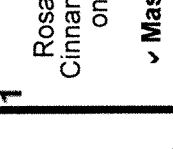
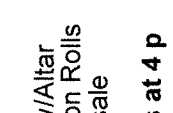
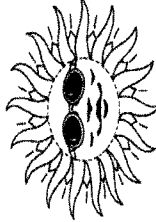
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
         	         	         	         	         	         	         
2 Mass at 7, 9 and 11 a.m.	3 ✓ No Mass Today ✓ 7:30 p.m. AL-ANON ✓ 8 p.m.: AA	4 ✓ Parish Office Closed for holiday ✓ Eucharistic Ador. 2-5:15 pm ✓ Mass at 5:30 p Healing Mass	5	6	7 ✓ 8:15 am. Bible Study, overflow 5 p.m. Goodwin/ Bunkers rehearsal	8 ✓ 2 p.m. Goodwin/ Bunkers Vows ✓ Mass at 4 p.m.
9 Mass 7, 9 and 11 a.m. KC Mass at 9 am. KC Breakfast 7:30-11 a.m.	10 ✓ No Mass Today ✓ 7:30 p.m. AL-ANON ✓ 8 p.m.: AA	11 ✓ Eucharistic Ador. 2-5:15 pm ✓ Mass at 5:30 p ✓ 6 p.m. Rosary/ Altar meets in PC	12	13 ✓ 11 a.m. Ones meet at ???	14 ✓ 8:15 am. Bible Study, overflow	15
16 Mass at 7, 9 and 11 a.m.	17 ✓ No Mass Today ✓ 7:30 p.m. AL-ANON ✓ 8 p.m.: AA	18 ✓ Eucharistic Ador. 2-5:15 pm ✓ Mass at 5:30 p	19 Noon - August Newsletter Deadline	20	21 8-5 p.m. Pioneer Days Garage Sale; CDA bake sale ✓ 8:15 am. Bible Study, overflow ✓ 11 a Bridge and Cribbage, PC	22 ✓ 8-Noon Pioneer Days Garage Sale ✓ Mass at 4 p.m.
23 Mass at 7, 9 and 11 a.m. CWC Omelet bkfst 8-Noon 1 p.m. Doors open for MCC Bingo, PC	24 ✓ No Mass Today ✓ 7:30 p.m. AL-ANON ✓ 8 p.m.: AA	25 ✓ Eucharistic Ador. 2-5:15 pm ✓ Mass at 5:30 p	26	27 Sioux City Soup Kitchen Ministry	28	29 Mass at 4 p.m.
30 Mass at 7, 9 and 11 a.m.	31 ✓ No Mass Today ✓ 7:30 p.m. AL-ANON ✓ 8 p.m.: AA					



Saint Joseph Catholic Church
Profit Loss May 2023

		May 23	May 22	Jul '22 - May 23	Jul '21 - May 22
Ordinary Income/Expense					
Income					
40000 · PARISH INCOME		83,491.48	51,802.84	603,273.10	600,745.03
41000 · INVESTMENT INCOME		-5,538.05	3,294.39	5,505.90	13,251.99
44000 · AUXILIARY INCOME		5,690.70	6,173.35	68,531.04	73,505.30
47000 · CONTRIBUTIONS & DONATIONS		83.00	108.00	1,433.00	31,386.74
49000 · OTHER INCOME		2,605.00	1,462.49	23,781.76	19,569.35
Total Income		86,332.13	62,841.07	702,524.80	738,458.41
Expense					
50000 · SALARIES AND WAGES		27,221.96	16,811.84	253,235.04	224,587.13
51000 · ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES		9,267.56	4,819.42	84,503.26	65,660.01
51300 · MISSION EFFECTIVENES		12,062.19	1,729.20	38,564.26	36,807.68
51400 · BUILDING AND GROUNDS		8,167.72	7,845.83	126,064.23	140,957.83
51900 · OTHER ADMIN EXPENSES		394.60	145.07	3,433.93	2,246.06
53000 · ASSESSMENTS		2,104.00	2,197.00	23,144.00	24,167.00
54000 · AUXILIARY EXPENSE		5,411.82	14,401.96	48,966.71	59,165.08
59000 · OTHER EXPENSES		1,383.75	5,779.50	13,432.21	12,425.95
Total Expense		66,013.60	53,729.82	591,343.64	566,016.74
Net Ordinary Income		20,318.53	9,111.25	111,181.16	172,441.67
Other Income					
49915 · IRS ERTC Revenue		0.00	0.00	0.00	57,830.04
49905 · Haiti Connection Income		0.00			50.00
Total Other Income		0.00	0.00	0.00	57,880.04
Other Expense					
59905 · Haiti Connection Expense		0.00	0.00	0.00	7,911.08
Total Other Expense		0.00	0.00		7,911.08
Net Other Income		0.00	0.00	0.00	49,968.96
Net Income		20,318.53	9,111.25	111,181.16	222,410.63

For Your Information

June Statistics

(as of June 20, 2023)

Baptized in Christ:

Evellette Elsie Modder
daughter of
Scott and Emily Modder
May 21, 2023
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Renato Pietro Chicoine
son of
Jacob & Andrea Chicoine
June 11, 2023
* * *

Stetson Joe Reiser
son of
Joey and Kayla Reiser
June 18, 2023
* * *

Weddings:

Joshus Lechner and
Jodi Husman
May 27, 2023
* * *

Nicholas Helderbrand and
Payton Augustine
June 10, 2023
* * *

Nick Rivera and
Kaylee Arnold
June 17, 2023
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Deaths

+Paul Roth, Sr
Died: May 24, 2023
Buried: June 8, 2023
* * *

+LaDonna Janssen
Died: Feb. 22, 2023
Buried: June 9, 2023
* * *

+Trudy Hopton
Died: May 25, 2023
Buried: At a later date
* * *

+Jake Hinshaw
Died: June 7, 2023
Buried: June 14, 2023
* * *



*"I realize we've run into the lunch hour,
and I'm sorry. Now, who's the wise
guy who ordered pizza?"*

Eucharistic Adoration Offered at St. Joseph

All are welcome to join in Eucharistic Adoration at St. Joseph's on Tuesdays from 2 p.m. to 5:15 p.m. Benediction at 5:15 p.m. concludes the period of Adoration.

Consider joining a small group of committed Adorers who spend time every week in Eucharistic Adoration. Contact Deb at 651-587-7296 for information.

**Join us in Bible Study
Fridays, 8 a.m. in the
Overflow Room.
Good Fellowship.
Refreshments.**



Parish Offices will be closed Tuesday, July 4 in observance of holiday. The office will reopen Wednesday, July 5 at 8 a.m.

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*Copy for the next issue is due on
the 20th of the preceding month.*

GROWING TOGETHER IN FAITH

By Erin Lorch

I'm very excited to join the St. Joseph Staff and begin work as your new Director of Religious Education.

I will officially be in the office on Monday, July 3.

From July 13-16, I will participate in the Steubenville Youth Conference with 40 students from St. Joseph and St. Mary's.

I am very excited to be going to training classes for the "Catechesis of the Good Shepherd," which is a curriculum for ages 3-6. We are hoping to implement this curriculum in the 2024-25 school year. I will be attending training for this program three weekends this summer. Along with a team of parishioners, Fr. Hughes and Brigitte Bouli, the new Director of Religious Education at St. Mary's, we will be assembling a curriculum team to select a new program for our students.

In between all of this, I will be finalizing the school year calendar. Many of the current catechists are returning for classes this fall. However, if you are interested in being a catechists or volunteering in the religious education department in any role, please contact me and we can "Grow Together In Faith." -- *Erin*

Youth Group News

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

✓ High School Youth - Sunday, July 9, 7 p.m. "Worship at the Well," located in the former Stoller Law Office, in Spirit Lake

✓ Wednesdays in July - 7 p.m. Youth Group, meeting.

Wed., July 12 - St. Mary's

Wed., July 19 - Arnolds Park Green Space

Wed., July 26 - St. Joseph

✓ Thursday, July 13-16: Please pray for safe travels for the 40 youth from St. Mary's and St. Joseph who will be attending the Steubenville Youth Conference in Rochester, MN, that features Bishop Barron.

✓ Fridays in July. Coffee and scripture study for all college and young adults, after Friday morning Mass. The Coffee House, Milford.

✓ Volunteer speakers and teachers are needed on a part time basis for Wednesday evening Confirmation. If you are interested call Teresa, 712-330-1189.

A Note From Teresa Goehring.....

I am super excited to transition from the Director of Youth Ministry to the Confirmation Coordinator for St. Joseph and St. Mary's. I have been very blessed to work with a lot of wonderful kids over the years and am excited to continue to serve the youth of both parishes.

Teresa

Rosary/Altar Omelette Breakfast



Let Us Cook Breakfast For You!

Sun., June 25 8 a.m. - 12 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 restoration of
vessels and the new parking lot.

Hope to see you there!



HERE'S THE 2023 SCHEDULE!!!

**✓ JULY 4TH WEEKEND,
PIONEER DAYS IN JULY AND
LABOR DAY WEEKEND.**

FRI: 8-5 P; SAT: 8-12 NOON

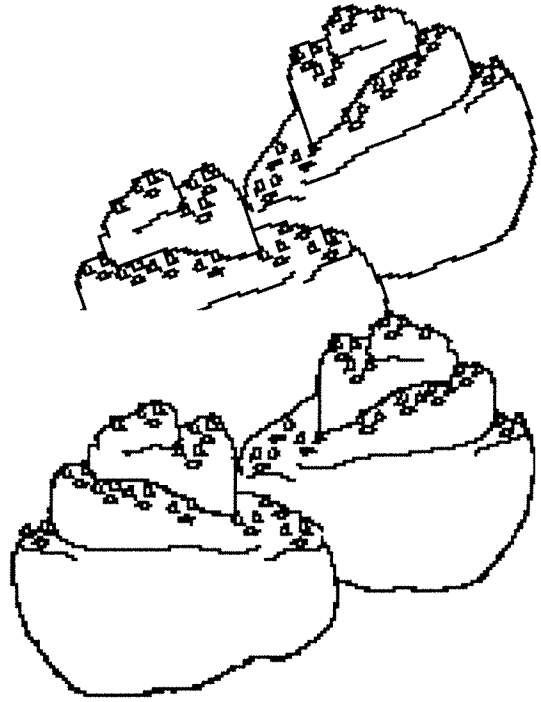
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CATHOLIC CHURCH
MILFORD, IA**



**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO
CONTRIBUTE ITEMS AND
SUPPORT THIS PROJECT.
WE APPRECIATE
YOUR SUPPORT.**

July 4th Weekend Cinnamon Roll Event

sponsored by the
Rosary/Altar Society



The Work Schedule:

- ✓ **Bakers:** Loretta Halbur, Faith Garcia
- ✓ **Frosters:** (9 a.m. Sat., July 1, 2023)

Packing Ladies: (Sat., July 1 @ 2 p.m.) (Need 3)

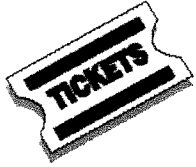
- ✓ **Sellers at 4 p.m.:** (3:30 Sat., July 1) (Need 3)

- ✓ **Sellers at 7:30 a.m.:**

(Following 7 a.m. Sun., July 2 until 8:15 a.m. or so) (2)

- ✓ **Sellers at 8:30 a.m.:** (8:30 a.m. Sun., July 2)
and following 9 a.m. Mass unless sold out) (2)

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



On the next 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 Altar/Rosary Society. Fill out the stubs and return with \$10 in the collection basket or to the office. Drawing will be held Sept.5, 2023. All proceeds will be given to the Altar/Rosary Society for their work at St. Joseph Catholic Church.

This generous 83 x 83 inch queen-sized plus quilt will be on display at various times throughout the summer in the parish center and the office.



Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Quilt is approximately 82x82. Drawing will be held Sept. 5, 2023
All proceeds to St. Joseph Rosary/Altar projects.

Campus Women's Club Omelette Breakfast



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cheese, mushroom and onion omelets.

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WOMEN'S WELCOME RETREAT

DATE **NOVEMBER 11-12, 2023**

TIME **8 AM SAT – 3 PM SUN**

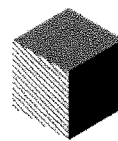
LOCATION **ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH**
1305 Okoboji Ave. Milford, IA

Welcome is an incredible experience that helps you discover what's missing in your life and what to do about it. Join us for a weekend of faith, fellowship, and food. This weekend retreat is FREE for participants. Meals and refreshments will be provided. Participants are encouraged to stay over for the full retreat experience, though not required. Overnighters will need to pack their own bedding, such as a sleeping bag, air mattress, etc. Retreat materials will be provided, but you may bring an additional journal or notebook if desired.

Please contact Diane Gubbels with any questions.

There ^{is}
~~**must be**~~
More
to Life.

Welcome.



Get a Fresh Perspective

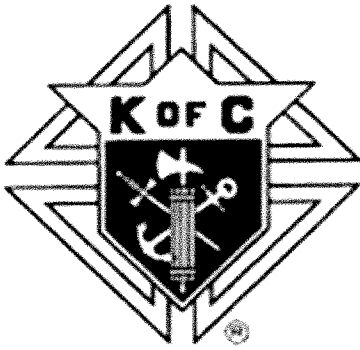
Life is demanding—and draining. Welcome gives you a break from the everyday so you can recharge, experience life with newfound energy, and become a better version of yourself.

RETREAT TEAM CONTACT

Diane Gubbels @ 712-210-2313
clpgubbs@hotmail.com

 **Dynamic Catholic**

KC News



KC Meeting Minutes May 25, 2023

1. Call to Order: 7PM
2. Opening Prayer
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Previous Meeting Minutes Moved: Dustin, Second: Bernie, Approved
5. GK Really proud to be a Knight at the KC Mass, I thought we did a terrific service. Thank you all for your support. It was a great idea to have KC Masses.

6. Chaplain's / Lecture's Report: None

7. District Deputy Report/Insurance Agent Report: Rob, our Insurance Rep, attended. Reminded Council Members of what services he can provide.

8. Financial Secretary Report: Bill Approval: \$1,099.24, Moved: Dustin, Second: Roger, Approved

9. Treasurer's Report: Moved: Dustin, Second: Roger, Approved

10. Old Business

- a. Helping Hands: Any update : None
- b. Council Positions for next year: Moved Ted, Second: Bernie, Approved
 - i. GRAND KNIGHT: JOEL NABOR
 - ii. DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT: TERRY ABBAS
 - iii. RECORDER: SCOTT NEPPL
 - iv. TREASURER: RICK HOUSEMAN
- c. Summer KC Masses: Saturday, May 5th at 4PM, Sunday, June 25th at 9AM
CHANGE: Was set for: Sunday, July 16th at 11AM, Moved to July 9th, 9AM
- d. MEMORIAL DAY MAY 29TH: Will need three volunteers to serve coffee and donuts. Coffee from Sunshine (they furnish container) and donuts from Casey's (think 4 dozen). Joel: coffee, Terry: donuts

11. New Business

- a. Discussion was made regarding a KC Breakfast in July. Menu: scrambled eggs, sausage, and French toast. Serving from 0730 to 1100. Date is July 9th Sunday. Discussion ended and the decision to move ahead was approved by the Council.
 - b. Dustin volunteered to provide meal for KC Meeting in June.
12. Good of the Order: Chris Eiler, Jeremy Morison, Wynette Moore, Jack & Jenny Yore.
13. Next Meeting Thursday June 22, 2023
14. Attendance Drawing : Bernie won the \$50 drawing, he donated the money back to pay dues of two members.
15. Closing Prayer and Adjourn: 7:55 PM

St. Joseph Social Justice Committee

St. Joseph Catholic Church Social Justice Committee Minutes June 7, 2023



The St. Joseph Social Justice Committee met Wednesday, June 7, 2023. The meeting was called to order at 8:16 a.m. by Chair Lois Koelder. Present were Lois Koelder, Bob Moore, Diane Clary, Connie Stein, Kathy Christensen, Connie Bjornstad, Fran Cerny, Tom Johnson, Bernie Kramer, and Dedie Thompson. Fr. Brian Hughes arrived at the meeting during the business discussion. Koelder opened the meeting with a group prayer.

Agenda — There were no additions or changes to the printed agenda.

Minutes — A motion was made by Cerny and seconded by Christensen to approve the minutes of the April 5, 2023 minutes. Hearing no further discussion, the motion was put to a vote with all present voting aye. Motion carried.

Financials — Koelder gave the report of the current Social Justice financials through May 31, 2023. A motion was made by Stein and seconded by Kramer to approve the financial statements as presented. Hearing no further discussion, the motion was put to a vote with all present voting aye. Motion carried.

At the request of the Chair, New Business was discussed prior to the old business.

New Business

Request for Gas Cards from Dickinson County Public Health — A motion was made by Moore and seconded by Stein to donate \$1,000 to Dickinson County Public Health for gas cards to be used by clients to transport children and adult clients to needed immunization and healthcare appointments. Following discussion, the motion was put to vote with all present voting aye. Motion carried.

Request for Postal Reimbursement — A motion was made by Thompson and seconded by Cerny to approve payment in the amount of \$441.35 to Fr. Tom Flanagan as reimbursement for postage for nine packages of rosaries requested and mailed to Uganda. Following discussion, the motion was put to a vote with all present voted aye. Motion carried.

Meals on Wheels — A motion was made by Thompson and seconded by Clary to donate \$1000 to Meals on Wheels (Dickinson County) for subsidized meals. Following discussion, the motion was put to a vote, with all present voting aye. Motion carried.

Old Business

Planning Session to June 30, 2023 —

A motion was made by Christensen and seconded by Kramer to pay the processing fee for pork that is donated to Milford Food Pantry. After discussion, the motion was put to a vote with all present voting aye. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Bjornstad and seconded by Clary to donate up to \$2,500 to the Okoboiji School Success Program if operating funds needs have not been met. Following discussion, the motion was put to a vote with all present voting aye. Motion carried. Teresa Goehring, Success Program Coordinator, called into the meeting to report funds for Success Program are not needed at the present time.

A motion was made by Bjornstad and seconded by Clary to donate \$1,000 to the St. Joseph Clothing Room for purchase of undergarments and socks in a variety of sizes. Discussion followed. Mary Lou Schroeder joined the meeting and explained the needs and the process for distribution. Father Hughes joined the meeting at this time. The motion was put to a vote with all present voting aye. Motion carried. Before leaving the meeting, Schroeder also noted further needs for donated children's clothing. A notice for this request could be put in the church weekly bulletin or monthly journal.

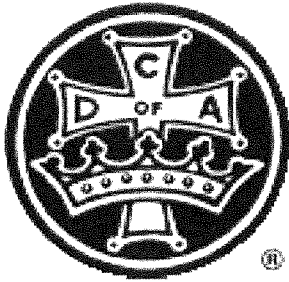
A motion was made by Johnson and seconded by Moore to establish a contingency food fund up to \$1000 for food items including processing fees for donated meat which then allows the priest of St. Josephs the opportunity to purchase items for distribution as needed. Following discussion, the motion was put to a vote with all present voting aye. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Kramer and seconded by Moore to donate \$2,000 for clothing room expenses. Following discussion, motion put to a vote. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Bjornstad and seconded by Thompson to donate \$1,000 to the Discovery House of Dickinson County. Discussion followed with a request for the Director of the Discovery

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CDA News



Minutes of May 23, 2023, Meeting

After a presentation by Mary Beth Gehling on a devotional retreat to Mary, Regent Deb called the meeting to order at 6:30. Following our prayer and pledge, roll call of officers showed Chery H absent and Cheryl A as her proxy. 8 members shared their favorite summer activity. The minutes and treasurers report were approved by general consent. Several bills for CDA convention and Salad Luncheon were approved for payment. The Financial secretary reported the loss of two members so now have a membership of 49 with 7 still not paid dues for this year.

Circle of Love reports

Education – Deb reported on a successful salad luncheon with final numbers at the next meeting. There was a discussion on ideas for next year. We are responsible for cinnamon rolls for soccer weekend on June 10 and 11. A sign-up sheet was passed around for help. A discussion was held on our Pioneer Days bake sale.

Family – no report

Leadership – Deb gave a report on the state convention. She and Faith came back inspired and with some great ideas for bettering our court.

Legislation – no report

Quality of Life – no report

Spiritual Enhancement – Deb reported on our Patriotic Rosary; we were few but mighty. Suggested that perhaps next year we hold it here in town or partner with our Memorial Day service. More volunteers are needed for leading the rosary before masses. We will be hosting Fr. Sichko the first weekend in November and donations are coming in to cover the expenses. More details in the fall.

Youth – Our two scholarships were awarded to Courtney Wittrock and Dylan Jones. The May crowning was fun and the kids were great.

Announcements – Donna S. reported on items she has submitted to The Lumen, Share and The Voice about activities of our court. It was suggested she could be our public relations person.

Good of the Order – Karen read a prayer on the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Prayer requests were made for several people.

Our next meeting will be September 26, 2023. Enjoy your summer off!

Following our closing membership prayers, the meeting was adjourned at 7:31.

Respectfully submitted.

Cheryl Aumer

Cheryl Aumer

for Cheryl Houseman

Social Justice

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House to speak at the next meeting. The motion was put to a vote with all present voting aye.

Other

Father Hughes discussed the war in Ukraine and avenues that might be available to help. No action was needed or taken at this time.

The next meeting of the St. Joseph Social Justice Committee is scheduled for Wednesday, August 2, 2023 at 8:15 a.m.

The meeting closed in prayer led by Fr. Hughes. Meeting adjourned at 9:40 a.m.

Connie Bjornstad

Connie Bjornstad

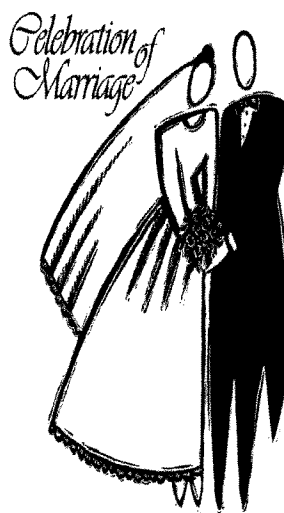
Secretary

Birthdays & Anniversaries

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|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 Jeremy Kelley | 15 Francis Spear |
| 2 Patricia Graham | 16 Cheryl Houseman |
| 2 Rick Houseman | 17 Scotty Ingvall |
| 2 Zachary Jones | 17 Joshua Schaben |
| 2 Erin Lorch | 18 Diane Clary |
| 2 Eunice Wilson | 19 Dave Hansen |
| 3 Alex Spooner | 20 Tim Holzman |
| 3 Connie Stein | 20 Kay Tyrrell |
| 4 Bob Elser | 21 Joshua Burhman |
| 4 Lily Miller | 21 Linda Hirsch |
| 5 Patricia Kratz | 21 Molly Mulqueen |
| 5 Sheila Thelen | 21 Jay Scott |
| 6 Mike Clark | 22 David Loebig |
| 6 Kristen Nelson | 22 Kris McHugh |
| 6 Kathy Rieck | 23 Jean Kennedy |
| 8 Ruby Bender | 23 Mike Willison |
| 8 Cindy Hansen | 24 Jesus Garcia, III |
| 8 Dennis Klute | 24 Thomas Mayer |
| 8 Michelle Kohorst | 25 Foster Forney |
| 8 Justic McCarty | 25 Kimberly Mahalovich |
| 8 Scott Nussbaum | 25 Diana Reifenrath |
| 8 Robert Sewell | 26 Linda Schaben |
| 8 Rise Tracy | 27 Dee Kilpatrick |
| 9 Olivia Forney | 27 Geneva Knudtson |
| 9 Bridget Nussbaum | 27 Glatha Langel |
| 10 Matthew Fairchild | 27 Jim Schlueter |
| 11 Aubree Hinshaw | 27 VerDon Schmidt |
| 11 Kayla Reiser | 28 Hunter Grems |
| 11 Kaleb Vanderpool | 28 Jim Koenig |
| 12 Vicki Willison | 28 Carol Swartz |
| 14 Ken Behrens | 29 Mary Ann Christensen |
| 14 Easton Issendorf | 29 Turner Matthews |
| 14 Caden Swenson | 30 Trentyn Berg |
| 14 Scott Wintz | 30 William Strichen |
| 15 Charlotte Langel | 30 Nellie Weldon |
| 15 Michael Mowery | 31 Kris Berning |
| 15 Michael Sjoblom | 31 Julie Kliegl |

Celebrating *An Anniversary This Month*

- 1 Mick and Jeanette Baack
- 1 Vincent and Linda Bronson
- 9 Bob and Wynette Moore
- 10 Dennis and Penny Baschke
- 10 Don and Marlys Nolan
- 11 Walt and Connie Homan
- 18 Clint and Julie Banks
- 18 Zane and Elizabeth Knudtson
- 19 Bob and Debra Rowland
- 23 Jeff and Karen Anfinson
- 23 Bob and Suzi Epping
- 24 Jeff and Lynnette Cronk
- 24 David and Michelle Mercer
- 26 Patrick and Therese Halbur
- 26 Gary and Kirsten Wuebker
- 28 Ray and Clarice Heller
- 29 Chris and Connie Bjornstad
- 30 Jon and Sara Allen
- 30 Jeff and Colleen Nelson
- 31 Roger and Linda Ruble



Weddings at
St. Joseph
Saturday,
July 8
@ 2 p.m.
Justin Bunkers
and
Riley Goodwin

Best Wishes to the

Happy Couple

July 2023						
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

July Volunteer Ministry Schedule

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 1st @ 4 p.m.

EMHC: Faith Garcia, Marlene Nelson, Jean Petitti, Ray Schley, Brad Shell

LECTOR: Debra Leners

SERVERS: Ben Garcia, John Garcia

HOSPITALITY: Jim Baumgard, Loretta Halbur, Eldon & Mary Kraninger, Irene & Jim McCoy

Sunday, July 2nd @ 7 a.m.

EMHC: Jeff Knudtson, Karen Naber, Terri & Tom Rierson

LECTOR: Joseph Schmidt

SERVERS: Deb & Mark Johnson

HOSPITALITY: Julie & Tim Fairchild, Joel Naber, Jon Sorenson

Sunday, July 2nd @ 9 a.m.

EMHC: Donna Goebel, Jim & Laurie Murray, Jeff Nelson, Jan Pithan, Jerilyn Streit

LECTOR: Karen Schwaller

SERVERS: Jerron Heller, Jocelyn Heller

HOSPITALITY: Kurt & Theresa Eckard, Patrick Goebel, Deb & John Harmelink, John Heller

Sunday, July 2nd @ 11 a.m.

EMHC: Bill & Cheryl Aumer, Chris Hinshaw, Susan Willette

LECTOR: Aaron Lorch

SERVERS: Noah Walleck, Simon Walleck

HOSPITALITY: Gary Espinoza, Mark & Molly Foss, Abby Walleck, Curt Willette

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 8th @ 4 p.m.

EMHC: Connie & Dick Mataloni, Holly & Paul Skopec

LECTOR: Diane Frank

SERVERS: Grace Davis, Brody Titterington

HOSPITALITY: Anne Donovan, Bonnie Duhn, Doug Heller, Monica Koeppen

Sunday, July 9th @ 7 a.m.

EMHC: Steve Eral, Barb & Bob Kollasch, Carol Lee

LECTOR: Darlene Moritz

SERVERS: Marshall Matuska

HOSPITALITY: Bob & Donna Elser, Michael & Sharon Sjoblom

Sunday, July 9th @ 9 a.m.

Knights of Columbus Mass

Sunday, July 9th @ 11 a.m.

EMHC: Terry Abbas, Chris & Connie Jones, Pete & Sara Laven

LECTOR: Theresa Eckard

SERVERS: Will Anderson, Need 1 Here

HOSPITALITY: Donna & Patrick Goebel, Bill and Cheryl Aumer, Myrna & Paul Herbers

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 15th @ 4 p.m.

EMHC: Jim Baumgard, Bonnie Duhn, Sheila Thelen

LECTOR: Loretta Halbur

SERVERS: Kaiden Mueller, Ron Swartz

HOSPITALITY: Connie & Dick Mataloni, Irene & Jim McCoy

Sunday, July 16th @ 7 a.m.

EMHC: Rick Houseman, Deb & Mark Johnson

LECTOR: Cheryl Houseman

SERVERS: Asher Knudtson

HOSPITALITY: Marshall Matuska, Jon Sorenson, Terri & Tom Rierson

Sunday, July 16th 9 a.m.

EMHC: Donna Goebel, Jim & Lauri Murray, Marlys Nolan, Jerilyn Streit

LECTOR: MaryBeth Gehling

SERVERS: Jerron Heller, Jocelyn Heller

HOSPITALITY: Kurt & Theresa Eckard, John Heller, Myrna & Paul Herbers

Sunday, July 16th @ 11 a.m.

EMHC: Denise Cole, Dori Lippon, Ron Swartz

LECTOR: Beth Lorch

SERVERS: Emily Breuer, Porter Prentice

HOSPITALITY: Harmelinks, Dennis Lippon, Arend & Molly Swygman

July Volunteer Ministry Schedule

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 22nd @ 4 p.m.

EMHC: Doug Heller, Aaron Hyatt, Eldon Kraninger

LECTOR: Deb Bode

SERVERS: Ray Schley

HOSPITALITY: Jim Baumgard, Anne Donovan, Monica Koeppen, Mary Kraninger

Sunday, July 23rd @ 7 a.m.

EMHC: Connie Hinrichs, Bernie Kramer, Bev Kruger

LECTOR: Loretta Halbur

SERVERS: Ben Garcia, John Garcia

HOSPITALITY: Julie & Tim Fairchild, Michael & Sharon Sjoblom

Sunday, July 23rd 9 a.m.

EMHC: Connie Chapman, Chris & Connie Jones, Pete Laven

LECTOR: Sara Laven

SERVERS: Will Anderson, Emily Breuer

HOSPITALITY: Terry Abbas, Deb & John Harmelink, John Heller

Sunday, July 23rd @ 11 a.m.

EMHC: Bill & Cheryl Aumer, Denise Cole

LECTOR: Ron Swartz

SERVERS: Porter Prentice, Need 1 here.

HOSPITALITY: Mark & Molly Foss, Curt & Susan Willette

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 29th @ 4 p.m.

EMHC: Deb Faulkner, David Loebig, Jim McCoy

LECTOR: Irene McCoy

SERVERS: Asher Knudtson

HOSPITALITY: Bonnie Duhn, Monica Koepen, Monnie & Dick Mataloni

Sunday, July 30th @ 7 a.m.

EMHC: Cory Knudtson, Darlene Moritz, Marlene Nelson

LECTOR: Diane Frank

SERVERS: Deb & Mark Johnson

HOSPITALITY: Bob & Donna Elser, Joel & Karen Naber

Sunday, July 30th @ 9 a.m.

EMHC: Faith Garcia Cheryl & Rick Houseman, Jan Pithan

LECTOR: Theresa Eckard

SERVERS: Ben Garcia, John Garcia

HOSPITALITY: Donna & Patrick Goebel, Myrna & Paul Herbers

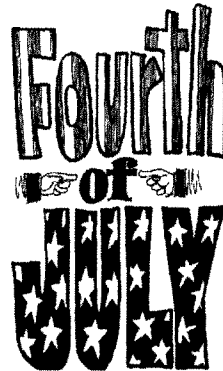
Sunday, July 30th @ 11 a.m.

EMHC: Chris Hinshaw, Aaron & Erin Lorch

LECTOR: Susan Willette

SERVERS: Noah Walleck, Simon Walleck

HOSPITALITY: Gary Espinoza, Dennis Lippon, Arend & Molly Swygman



Just A Note.....

The Parish Office will be closed

Tuesday, July 4 in observance of the July 4th Holiday.

There will be NO daily mass or Eucharistic Adoration. The office reopens

Wednesday, July 5 @ 8 a.m.

Volunteers are the
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of our church