



**NOVEMBER 5, 2023**

## MISSION STATEMENT

Be a Catholic Community that is a Visible Presence of Jesus.

## SACRAMENTS

### Baptisms

Baptisms are scheduled for individual families upon request, preferably during a weekend Mass. We request that parents attend a Baptismal class prior to the sacrament. Please register for class at <https://res-dbq.org/baptismal-preparation-class>

### Weddings

All persons who wish to arrange for marriage are asked to contact Fr. Phil Gibbs six months in advance.

### Reconciliation

Saturday 3:15 PM

Monday 7:30 AM

Other times by appointment.

## PARISH MEMBERSHIP

If you would like to become a member of Resurrection Parish, please call the Parish Office: (563-556-7511).

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Weekend Masses:

Saturday 4:00

Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 AM

### Holy Days & Weekdays:

Refer to Bulletin



## 31<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"As for you, do not be called 'Rabbi.' You have but one teacher, and you are all brothers. Call no one on earth your father; you have but one Father in heaven. Do not be called 'Master'; you have but one master, the Christ. The greatest among you must be your servant." - Mt 23:8-11

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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### PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

**Monday–Thursday: 8:00 AM–4:30 PM; FRIDAY: 8:00 AM–2:00 PM**

**Website: [www.res-dbq.org](http://www.res-dbq.org) | Facebook: [facebook.com/resdbq](https://facebook.com/resdbq)**

**MON, November 6**

7:00 AM † Carolyn Gibbs

**TUES, November 7**5:30 PM † All Souls  
† Janice Bahl**WED, November 8**

7:00 AM † Angie Hauptert

**THURS, November 9***The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica*

7:00 AM † Angela Farnum

9:00 AM † Sally Carroll

**FRI, November 10***St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church*

7:00 AM † John Ungs

**SAT, November 11***Nursing Home Mass at Hawkeye Care*9:00 AM † All Souls  
† Rev. Donald Bakewell*Vigil of the Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*4:00 PM † Charles & Eunice  
Banwarth  
† Jim & Bonnie Wolske**SUN, November 12***Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*7:00 AM † Joan Blocker  
† Ron Ludwig  
9:00 AM Pro Populo  
† Marvin Dalsing  
11:00 AM † Paul & Mary Perrin  
† Bill & Jeanette Bahl

NATIONAL  
VOCATION  
AWARENESS  
WEEK<sup>©LPI</sup>

**Social Justice Committee Facebook Group**

The Resurrection Social Justice Committee would love to hear from you! Check out our Facebook group below to find out about what we are doing and to share your own experiences and ideas.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/922909382036597>

**DEAR PARISHIONERS,**

Please welcome the following families who have joined Resurrection parish during the month of October:

Ron & Joan Mours	Adam Dearing & Sarah Fogel & family	Alicia Funk
Kevin & Mary Dinnen	Dan & Kay Nietzel & family	
David & Kathy Golinski	Virgil & Verla Weimerskirch	

Have you ever played the game, Truth or Dare? You remember that game? I remember that game quite well as I, in my youth, I played it with the other kids as we rode along in the back of the school bus. And, I remember being so good at it because we were forbidden to lie...I was a terrible liar anyway. You see, Truth or Dare is a loaded game. Truth or Dare is considered an opportunity to reveal some deep inner truths and dares us to do things that we might consider extreme.

And so, I would like to play Truth or Dare with you. I would like to do this in the context of the readings for this weekend which are also obviously loaded with some harsh truths about priesthood and religious life and also some dares that we are to face as priests, religious and lay people.

The scriptures are loaded as we hear the reading from the prophet Malachi who looks harshly upon priests who have misdirected those whom they have been in charge and have fallen from the goodness of their office. "I will send a curse upon you and of your blessing I will make a curse. You have turned aside from the way, and have caused many to falter by your instruction; you have made void the covenant of Levi, says the Lord of hosts. I, therefore, have made you contemptible and base before all people, since you do not keep my ways, but show partiality in your decisions." WOW!

The gospel of Matthew presents to us a Jesus who harshly criticizes the scribes and Pharisees (the faith leaders of the communities) because of their hypocrisies as Jesus says, "Observe all things whatsoever they tell you, but do not follow their examples." WOW.... And again, in the gospel Jesus severely scolds these leaders because of their self-righteousness, indifference, shallowness and conceit. Jesus teaches us that no one is above another, that no title (Father, Teacher, Master) gives us exultation above another; that the greatest will be the one who serves the rest. WOW!

Truth or Dare:

Truth - Is it true that in your past or perhaps in your present, you have experienced a priest or religious that has, through the abuse of their office, misguided you; harmed you; or hurt you? Have they brought offense against you or your family?

But, I Dare You - I dare you to have the strength and ability to look beyond these few incidents. The first reading from Malachi was written from a positive perspective. In order to criticize the bad ones Malachi knew of and admired the good ones, the good priests of the Levite order. He knew of good priests who communicated the mind and will of God to the people.

This is to say to us that for the few priests or religious that have brought us offense, there are myriad upon myriad of good priests and religious that are committed to their celibate lifestyles, their call to service of God's people and their communion with you. For us, one bad apple does not ruin the bunch regardless of what the media portrays; regardless of popular opinion. I dare you to let go of those past hurts. I dare you to forgive us when our human weakness gets in the way. I dare you to love us and let us into your lives.

Truth or Dare:

Truth: Is it true that we need more good men and women to assist us as our spiritual leaders on our life's journey to the Lord? Do we need more men and women to be holy priests and religious who take seriously the call of service to God's word? Are we receptive to religious vocations in our homes, parishes and in public? St. Paul, in his very passionate letter to the Thessalonians gives them thanks for being so

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## IN THE PARISH



**THANK YOU** to all of the volunteers for making our food pantry distribution on October 28 a success. We served 110 guests. This would not be possible without all of the volunteer efforts from the parish. It was wonderful to see all the new families assisting in this effort. *The Resurrection Food Pantry Committee.*

### Pilgrim Virgin Statue

Ann Gebhart will host the Pilgrim Virgin Statue at her home at 3271 Bittersweet Lane. Everyone is invited to pray the rosary at 4:00 pm on Sunday, November 12 through Friday, November 17.

### CPR TRAINING

Basic CPR training for Greeters, Ushers and any other ministry who are interested, will be held on Tuesday, November 14, at 6:30 pm in the Church Social Space. Please sign up on the clipboard in the Ushers Room or call the parish office so we know how many to expect.

### BLOOD DRIVE

ImpactLife Resurrection Blood Drive on Tuesday, Nov. 28, from 1:30-6:30 pm in the Church Social Space. Last day to donate was Oct. 3 in order to be eligible to donate on Nov. 28. Appointments are encouraged for ImpactLife November 28 Blood Drive at Resurrection.

To schedule online at [www.bloodcenter.org](http://www.bloodcenter.org) or email Mary Schmidt at [dbq058n@dbqarch.org](mailto:dbq058n@dbqarch.org).

If you can't donate at the drive, you can donate at the center from Nov. 13 - Dec. 11 with the Group Sponsor Code: 1594 to count for the Lifesaving School Grant Program.



## MUSIC

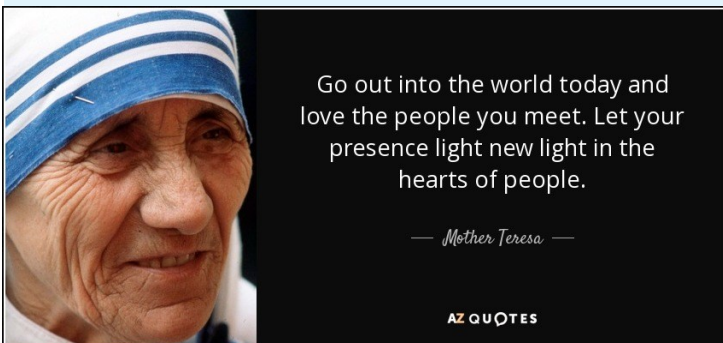
Coordinator of Liturgical Music  
Amy Dolan



All Souls' Day

Both All Saints Day and All Souls Day are rooted in the belief that life is changed, not ended, with death. We look to nature as the earth sheds her life and the world turns cold, knowing that this dying and death is only part of the circle of life. We give thanks to God for the harvest and trust that

God will provide for us in the future. Our hymns this month reflect this faith: "In the Day of the Lord the sun will shine like the dawn of eternal day. All creation will rise to dance and sing the glory of the Lord." We also pray for peace in our world, especially in the Middle East and in the Ukraine. As we go forth from Mass we will be singing "Go Into the World" by Tom Booth is a new hymn we just learned a couple weeks ago. The text for this hymn comes from the teachings of Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta and is a wonderful message as we go forth from church and into the world. May we all embrace this calling and try let our presence light new light in the people we meet each day.



Go out into the world today and love the people you meet. Let your presence light new light in the hearts of people.

— Mother Teresa —

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## LITURGY

Liturgy  
Deacon Mike Ellis

### Upcoming Liturgical Events/Training/ Special Masses

**Tuesday, November 7, 2023: Liturgy Committee Meeting: 6:30pm- Community Room.**

**Thursday, November 9, 2023: Altar Server Training: 3:30pm Church**

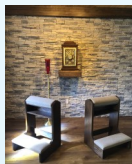
**Thursday November 22, 2023: Thanksgiving Day Mass: 9:00 am.**

**Wednesday, November 29, 2023: 6:30 pm – Eucharistic Minister, Reader and Usher training 6:30pm. Meet in Social Space.**

**Notes: Lector Workbooks available on the table in the Social Space**

**Funeral Pre-Planning:** if you are interested in pre-planning your Funeral Mass, please contact Deacon Mike.

## PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL



- Please join us for Morning Prayer on Tuesdays beginning at 7am and Evening Prayer on Tuesdays beginning at 4:30 pm.

- The Blessed Sacrament Chapel is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week for private prayer before Our Eucharistic Lord.

- Please consider praying as your time allows. If 15 minutes is all the time you have the Lord will appreciate the visit.
- If you are able to commit to a time of prayer, please sign up using the Resurrection Website: <https://res-dbg.org>. Go to liturgy and prayer and then adoration. Please sign in as this will help us communicate. If you do not sign up on line, please sign up in the book.
- The outside door by the side of Church will be unlocked daily from 5:00 am – 8:00 pm. After 8:00 pm the door can be unlocked by using the security key pad to the left of the door on the outside wall. For the code password, call Deacon Mike in the parish office, 556-7511.
- The light switch for the Chapel is on the right wall inside the Chapel doors.
- Open the round tabernacle door on the actual tabernacle. If you are the only person in the chapel, upon completion of your visit close the round tabernacle door.
- If you hear the tornado siren, please take the steps to the bottom and hide yourself in the opening under the stairs.

Questions: Contact Deacon Mike Ellis in the parish office. 556-7511.

## HEALTH MINISTRY

Mary Schmidt, Parish Nurse

### CARE FOR THE CAREGIVER

Care for the Caregiver will meet Monday, November 6, 2023, from 1:30–2:30 pm in the Community Room. Respite care is available for your loved one during the meeting. Please contact Mary Schmidt at 563-556-7511 if you plan to utilize this benefit.



## ADULT FAITH FORMATION & SACRAMENTS

Wendy Osterberger  
Director of Faith Formation

### Welcome Eli Jack & Brooks Carter!

Congratulations to the parents & family of **Eli Jack Oetken**, who was baptized on Saturday, October 28, 2023 and

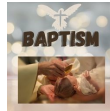


**Brooks Carter Link**, who was baptized on Sunday, October 29, 2023. May our Resurrection parish community provide Christian witness to Eli and Brooks as they are brought up in the Catholic faith.



### Baptism Preparation Class

Wanting to have your child baptized? Sign up for a Baptismal Prep class, virtually on Nov. 12, or in person on Nov. 14 at 7:00 pm in the Upper Room. Register at: <https://res-dbq.org/baptismal-preparation-class>



### Congrats Mr. & Mrs. Stahl!

Congratulations to Cheryl Hilby & Doug Stahl, who were united in Holy Matrimony at Church of the Resurrection on Saturday, October 28, 2023. May God richly bless their marriage.



### Becoming Catholic

Are you feeling called to become a member of the Catholic faith? Join us on **Monday, Nov 6**, from 6:30 - 7:30 pm at the rectory located at 2525 St. Anne Drive in Dubuque for our next gathering. Come get your questions answered and learn what the process to become Catholic would look like.



### High School Confirmation Class

Our next high school prep class for Confirmation will be held this Wednesday, Nov. 8, from 6:30-7:45 pm in the Church Social Space.

### "The Hour of Our Death" Discussion

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is one of the seven sacraments of the Church. But whom exactly is this sacrament for? What are its effects? Join us as we discover the role of this sacramental anointing in the spiritual struggle during serious illness, in the final stages of our temporal life, and at the hour of our death. This discussion will be held on Nov. 6 at your choice of either 8:15 am or 6:15 pm in the Adult Faith Formation Room at Resurrection School (enter through the door facing Sam's Club). All are welcome to come, watch, and discuss.



### CHRIST OUR LIFE CATHOLIC CONFERENCE



SAVE THE DATE!

September 28 & 29, 2024

Wells Fargo Arena in Des Moines

Don't miss this every two-years opportunity to hear world class speakers, celebrate Mass with thousands, attend reconciliation, fill your spirit with music and visit Jesus in adoration. To learn more, visit [ChristOurLifelowa.com](http://ChristOurLifelowa.com)

## YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

Emily Tatum  
Coordinator Youth Faith Formation



### Children's Liturgy of the Word

This week the kids learned about Giving Glory to the Name of God.



### Intergenerational ADVENT Activity

Please Join us on December 9 from 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm for an Intergenerational Event, Advent - Waiting for Jesus Christ. Come share and explore the meaning of Advent with your friends and neighbors through food, games, music and fun. Specifically designed for youth age Pre-K through 5th grade and their families. Registration forms are located in the Church Social Space under the Electronic Bulletin Board. Deadline to register is December 3.

### Youth Led Mass

If your child is interested in participating in our next Youth Led Mass, **November 12**, during the 11 am Mass, please let Emily Tatum know.

## MIDDLE & HIGH YOUTH MINISTRY

Brian Nilles, Coordinator of Youth Ministries

### Nov 5: No LoBianco Youth Room



### All students Nov 12 - Youth Mass

Our next youth-led Mass will be November 12 at the 11 am Mass. If your child is interested in participating please let Emily or Brian know.

### Nov 11 & 12: Food Collection

Our youth will be collecting bags of food & money for Saint Vincent DePaul Society. If you forget your bag and want to help, you can drop it off at the Church office until 4:30 pm on Nov.15.



### Nov 15: Service Opportunity

6th grade and older are invited to help sort the items collected for Saint Vincent DePaul Society. 6:30 pm - 7:45 pm in the Church Lower Level Social Space.

**Thank you to all who attended the Haunted House put on by the youth of the Parish (25 students). There were 160 people scared out of their wits :)**

**Middle school students:** I could use your help in planning a time for your age group to get together in the LoBianco Youth Room or gym. Please contact Brian by email or phone. See below.

### For more information, contact:

Brian Nilles 556-7511 or [dbq058ym@dbqarch.org](mailto:dbq058ym@dbqarch.org)



## PARISH SUPPORT

### Adult tithe for October 29, 2023

Weekly contributions needed .....	\$34,615.38
<b>Collected from 186 out of 2341 envelopes .....</b>	<b>\$13,804.00</b>
Offertory .....	\$880.25
Total collected .....	\$14,684.25
YTD collections needed (7/1-11/29).....	\$590,384.65
YTD collected in envelopes (7/1-11/29).....	\$539,780.90
YTD total over/short.....	(\$50,603.75)

**Have you remembered Resurrection in your will?**

*Thank you for your support!*

## SCRIP



The next scrip order date is **Monday, November 6, 2023**. Orders and payment must be received by 10:00 am on Monday.

**ONLY 4 SCRIP ORDER DATES BEFORE CHRISTMAS:  
NOVEMBER 6, NOVEMBER 13, DECEMBER 4, & DECEMBER 18.**

To sign up for a scrip account, or for any other questions related to scrip, contact the Resurrection Scrip Program at: [scripoffice@gmail.com](mailto:scripoffice@gmail.com)

## ACTIVITIES & MEETINGS

*Parish Offices are closed Friday evening,  
Saturday, and Sunday.*

### MONDAY, November 6

8:15 AM Eternal Rest Study .....	Adult FF Room
10:00 AM SCRIP Due.....	Parish Office
1:30 PM Care for the Caregiver .....	..... Community Room
3:30 PM Children's Choir .....	Church
5:45 PM Stretching to God .....	LL Social Space
6:00 PM High School YM .....	..... Deacon Tim LoBianco Room
6:15 PM Eternal Rest Study.....	Adult FF Room
6:45 PM Bell Choir .....	Church

### TUESDAY, November 7

1:00 PM Bible Study.....	Adult FF Room
6:30 PM Liturgy Committee.....	Community Room

### WEDNESDAY, November 8

4:00 PM YFF Class.....	Church Social Space
6:30 PM High School Confirmation Class .....	..... Church Social Space
6:30 PM YFF Class .....	School

### THURSDAY, November 9

7:30 AM M.E.S.S. ....	Church Social Space
3:30 PM Altar Server Training .....	Church
5:00 PM Choir .....	Church
5:00 PM Finance Council.....	Community Room

### FRIDAY, October 10

No Events

### SATURDAY, November 11

6:30 AM TMIY .....	Rectory
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### SUNDAY, November 12

3:00 PM Dubuque Interfaith Green Coalition .....	..... Church Social Space
6:00 PM YLT .....	Deacon Tim LoBianco Room

**SUNDAY, NOV. 5 NOON - 4:00 PM**

**LIFT Vendor Fair**

**RESURRECTION SCHOOL GYM**

Admission is free and open to the public.  
Free-will offering to support Opening Doors

**SHOP & SUPPORT OUR LOCAL VENDORS SELLING:**

QUILTS, WREATHS, CRAFTS, RELIGIOUS GOODS, COOKIES,  
FREEZE-DRIED CANDY, HOME DECOR, TASTEFULLY SIMPLE,  
JEWELRY, THIRTY-ONE, SCENTSY, YOUNG LIVING & MORE

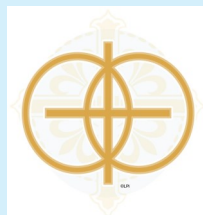


## A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE



In today's gospel Jesus describes the vocation of parents: "The greatest among you will be your servant." Children take our blood, genes, strength, name, patience and resources. A parent's servitude begins at the moment of conception. The Lord is present in each of our acts of selfless service. —Bud Ozar

## MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT



"You recall, brothers [and sisters], our toil and drudgery. Working night and day in order not to burden any of you" (1 Th 2:9). Presumably, both you and your spouse work and toil for the good of the family – whether within or outside the home. What is your most disliked chore? Consider trading for a day.

## CONTACT US

**Parish Office:** 563-556-7511 **Website:** [www.res-dbg.org](http://www.res-dbg.org)

## PARISH STAFF

### Priest

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## SCHOOL

### Holy Family Catholic Schools

Central Administration Office.....563-582-5456

### Resurrection Site

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Preschool/Daycare Office ..... 563-583-5206

**Principal,** Sara Weires..... sweires@holymfamilydbq.org

## RESURRECTION PRAYER CHAIN

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## PARISH CHAIRPERSONS

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**St. Vincent de Paul Society,** Andy Benko ..... 563-556-3272

**Vocations Committee,** Terry Friedman ..... 563-556-3121

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL VOUCHER CENTER NEEDS



### End Poverty Through Systemic Change

Thank you for your continued support of our Resurrection St. Vincent de Paul Conference as we serve our neighbors in need. The following items are needed most right now at our downtown Voucher Center:

- Cooking oil
- Pancake mix and syrup
- Hot and Cold cereal
- Small jugs of laundry soap
- Hygiene products (shampoo, body wash, bars of soap)
- Cleaning supplies



Please be sure to return the blue bags with your donations. If you wish to make a financial contribution to St. Vincent de Paul you can use the envelopes in the pews. If you, or someone you know, is in need of assistance, please call the St. Vincent de Paul Voucher Line at 563-584-2226.

## VOCATION VIEWS



### Holy Hour for Vocations

On Tuesday, November 7, at 6:00 pm there will be a Eucharistic Adoration Holy Hour for Vocations at St. Joseph the Worker. During this National Vocation Awareness Week, please come to hear from an archdiocesan seminarian and pray to "the Master of the harvest to send out laborers for His harvest." (Matthew 9:38)

Continued from page 2. receptive, loving and supportive of he and his companions. In the midst of that loving community, he experienced a sense of God as he wrote to them, "And for this reason we too give thanks to God unceasingly, that in receiving the word of God from hearing us, you received not a human word but, as it truly is, the word of God, which is now at work in you who believe."

That is to say to us that we need priests and religious - proclaimers of the word of God; the bearers of God's truth; and servants of God's people to lead us to a deeper conviction of faith and commitment to the will of God.

Then, I Dare You - I dare you to pray for and promote religious vocations wherever you go. Invite likely and suitable candidates to consider the priesthood or religious life, those who are capable and competent. Encourage your own children, grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends to really reflect on that possibility for their future.

The truth is, God is calling all of us to either promote or consider a good, healthy and holy life not only as a layperson in the Church but also perhaps as a priest or religious. The dare is to commit ourselves to that end. Again, Truth or Dare is a loaded game, but then again such is life in the context of our faith. It is considered an opportunity to reveal some deep inner truths and it dares us to do things that we might consider extreme.

Fr. Phil Gibbs, Pastor

## AROUND TOWN

**Experience "The Eucharistic Miracles of the World"**  
**St. Joseph the Worker Church/ Dubuque, Iowa**  
**Nov. 11 - Nov. 16 in Martin Hall**



The Vatican International Exhibition, a captivating designed created by Blessed Carlo Acutis, a young man who was Beatified on October 10, 2020. This extraordinary exhibition will be showcased in Martin Hall from November 11 to November 16, inviting all to come and witness its profound impact. It aims to serve as useful and fruitful aids to our faith, ultimately deepening our belief in the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. Martin Hall Open 8:30 am – 7pm (Bottom door on the East side of Martin Hall is accessible.)

**Presenting Fr. Bob Gross "The Holy Eucharist, Our Rest and Our Strength" November 15, 2023, 6:30 pm.** This enlightening evening will commence at 6:30 pm and conclude at 7:30 pm in the church. Don't miss this opportunity to deepen your understanding of the Eucharist. Be sure to mark your calendar.

### **Farley St. Joseph Parish Annual Thanksgiving Breakfast**

Drive through 7:00 - 11:30 am, Sunday, November 19, 2023  
 Smoked and Fresh Sausage, Scrambled Eggs, Hash Browns, and Cinnamon Roll. Located in the Farley St. Joseph Catholic Church South Parking Lot. \$10 per meal. Tickets sold at the event on site.

## SENIOR SOCIAL LUNCH & CARDS

The next Senior Social will be held on Monday, November 20, at 11:30 am in the Church Social Space. Cost is \$5 if you are not bringing a dish to pass. Sign up on the bulletin board in the Gathering Space or call Julie at 563- 663-2034.

## SATURDAY NIGHT EUCHRE



We sincerely hope to see you, friends, family and neighbors at 6:00 pm on Saturday, November 18, 2023 in the Church Social Space for our next "Resurrection Church Third Saturday Euchre Tournament. Please feel free to invite others.

## STO TAX CREDIT

***The 75% Tax Credit sounds too good to be true, but it's not.***

If you file an Iowa income tax return, your contributions to the Our Faith School Tuition Organization (STO) receive a 75% tax credit. For example, if you expect to owe \$1500 in Iowa income tax, you can donate \$2000 to the STO and receive a \$1500 tax credit (\$2000 x 75%); this leaves you owing \$0 dollars on your Iowa income taxes. In addition, your gift may qualify for federal deductibility. But let's not forget that the \$2000 you've given will provide tuition assistance for qualifying families in the Archdiocese. It is that simple. The STO is good for families, and good for you! For more information, talk to your tax professional or financial advisor, or call Steve Kane, Our Faith STO Director, at 563-552-0297.