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AND MEADOWING "My soul proclaims my spirit rejoices the greatness of in God my savior." the Lord: Luke 1.46-47

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Celebration of Sacraments

Baptism Please contact the parish office to register for the required Baptism class, to schedule a Baptism or for more information. Next Baptism preparation class is scheduled for Aug. 1, 2022, 7:00 p.m. (Note date is subject to change).

Reconciliation Contact the parish office to schedule an appointment to celebrate this Sacrament of God's forgiveness.

Marriage Contact the parish office at least six months before intended wedding date.

May 22, 2022 Sixth Sunday of Easter Acts of the Apostles 15:1-2, 22-29; Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23; John 14:23-29

The gift of the promised Paraclete will be for peace, it will also be for instruction. Sometimes the two go together.

The early Church, as narrated in today's first reading, experienced dissension and controversy. This happened not that long after the gift of the Paraclete promised by Jesus (as in the gospel reading today). The dissension was over the question of how best to accept non-Jewish converts into the fledgling Church. A council was held. Prayers to that Paraclete/Spirit promised by Jesus were offered. Fairly shortly a peaceful resolution of the difficulty was achieved through the enlightenment gained through the Spirit.

There is no doubt the Spirit of Jesus, this Paraclete which he promised, is available to the church at every age. This has proven to be true through the centuries, and continues into our own time. The presence of the Spirit does not mean everybody "mellows out." Controversy can and does rise up, and even rages at times. (Just like in the early days of the church—it's great to know we're not that different from our apostolic ancestors!)

Today in the Church the issues are different—questions of who can be ordained; of the sharing of power and authority, etc.

The risen Jesus we celebrate during this Easter time tells us He will give us the Paraclete to help us at every age, in every concern.

> Next week's readings: Acts of the Apostles 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:17-23; Luke 24:46-53

Monday, May 23

11:00 a.m. Funeral for Marlene Wemark with visitation at

10:00 a.m. in church

Tuesday, May 24
11:00 a.m. Funeral for Betty Shea with visitation at

9:30 a.m. in church

Wednesday, May 25-Mass 8:00 a.m. +Gary Keune

Sacristan: Jed and Joyce Becker

Thursday, May 26 Mass

9:00 a.m. +Liv. and Dec'd members of Don and Mary Ann Shea Family

Sacristan: Jessica Kapler

2:00 p.m. Evans Home Mass +Larry Barnes

Friday, May 27 Mass 8:00 a.m. +Marie Kreitzer

Sacristan: Jerry and Barb O'Donnell

Saturday, May 28 Mass in church and livestreamed*

4:00 p.m. +Sonny Christianson

EMHCs: Jill McConnell, Duane Heit, Vicki McGee

Lector: Duane Heit

Servers: Cody Sobolik, Leah Henkes Music: Pam Daley, Polly Jones Greeters: Galen and Lavon Fye Hosts: Galen and Lavon Fye

Ushers: Ray Schwarzhoff, Bryan Sheehy,

Dave and Robin Sobolik Sacristan: Jill McConnell

Sunday, May 29 Mass

8:00 a.m. +Joe and Ethel Sexton

EMHCs: Connie Sindelar, Jim Truka, Julie Wilson

Lectors: Bill and Connie Sindelar Servers: Jordyn and Julianne Fisk Music: Dee Hosek, Jamie Fisk Greeters: Bart and Julie Wilson Hosts: Bart and Julie Wilson

Ushers: Bart and Julie Wilson, Tony Roberts,

Art Schwarzhoff

Sacristan: Bill and Connie Sindelar

10:00 a.m. Mass +Suzanne Gebel

EMHCs: Don and Kris Dietzenbach, Jessica Kapler

Lectors: Rylee Kapler, Gary Langreck Servers: Carly Kapler, Braelyn McCarville

Music: Joe Wacha, Polly Jones Greeters: Audrey Hyke, Jolene Trachta

Hosts: Mark Kapler Family

Ushers: Don and Kris Dietzenbach, Richard McConnell

Jerry Wilson

Sacristan: Jessica Kapler

Alleluia! Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. Alleluia!

Note: Daily and 8:00 and 10:00 Sunday masses will no longer be livestreamed. 4:00 p.m. Saturday Mass will be livestreamed on: https://tinyurl.com/ndcresco

Or by going to the parish website and clicking on the YouTube icon. You may access the 4:00 p.m. mass on Sunday and during the week.

In Memory

Frank McConnell Altar Bread

Paul Sir Altar Wine

Dell and Monica Reicks Missalettes (May)

Stewardship of Prayer

Please pray for the sick of our parish, including the following and those listed in the Book of Petitions.

Parker Byrnes Dianne Kovarik Makiah Pierce Dean Dietzenbach Dorothy Barnes JoDene Van Dyke Arlene Kuennen Joyce Kapler Don Neubauer Bill Smith Deanne Webb Steve Slifka Marilyn Novak Marian Wiltgen Magnus Forland Debbie Wolf Wilkens

Paula Growden Pat Smith

Randy Smith

Randy Smith

Beverly Koshatka

Janice Ries

Lavon Hyberger

Liz Yount

Craig Church

Tom Kleve

Thom Mahr

Alice Zubrod

Angie Kappes

Our sympathy. . .

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of **Betty Shea** and **Marlene Wemark.** Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.

We clear the prayer list quarterly. Please contact the office at that time to have a name put on again if desired.

We are pleased to pray for the sick, if you would like to add a name, please call the parish office after receiving permission from the person to have their name published; however, to preserve space if a person has sufficiently recovered and can be removed from the prayer list, also please contact the parish office. Ministry of Prayer Network: If you would like to serve on this Prayer Network, please email the office at:

DBQ047S1@dbqarch.org. When a request is received, you will receive an email asking for your prayers for the immediate need. If you have an urgent need for prayer, call the office at 563 547-3565 to activate the prayer network.

Stewardship of Offering May 15, 2022

Total Stewardship Contributions/Offertory Income

Needed each week: \$10,817.00 Last week's Envelope Contribution Income: \$4,276.50 Last week's ACH Contribution Income: \$7,503.00 Last week's offertory income: \$331.87

Today's reading from Revelation offers a vision of the city of God, the new Jerusalem. "But," the bishops' pastoral on stewardship reminds us, "that 'life to come' is in continuity with this present life through the human goods, the worthy human purposes, which people foster now."

NE IA Pro Lifers Baby bottle money holders are available in the front entrance of the church. Please take a bottle and put in a donation and return the bottle by Father's Day, June 19. Thanks!

Totus Tuus will be held at Notre Dame July 24-29. Sign up now! See insert for more information.

Join us for the Easter Series on Sun., May 22, 7:00 p.m., Notre Dame Church. Theme for May 22: Sent forth: We are called to be both missionaries and disciples; to live out the faith and share it with others. In this talk we will find out how we can do that in spite of our imperfections.

Rolicky Making for the Notre Dame Food Stand at the Howard County Fair will be done on Mon., May 23, 8:00 a.m., Notre Dame Church Hall. Your help is appreciated!!

Congratulations to those elected: Pastoral Council: Joye Meyer and Jim Truka. Catholic School Board: Tracy Herold, Aaron Hvitved and Amber McCarville. Thank you to all the candidates for offering their time and talent to serve Notre Dame Parish and School.

Notre Dame Food Stand at the Howard County Fair Sign Up Sheets have been mailed! If you did not receive a copy, or if a page was blank, contact the parish office. Please sign up to help and return the sheet to the parish office by May 29.

Raffle Tickets for drawing at the Fair Stand on Sun., June 26 are included in this week's bulletin. More tickets available at the parish office and at the Fair Stand. *Great cash prizes!*

Scrip Program includes Dollar Fresh, HyVee, Pinter's, Ruppert's Ace Hardware, Fareway, Fisk's, Subway, Casey's, A & W, Long John Silvers, Sue-Z-Q, Atomic Pizza and Kwik Star. Cards are available at the parish office. Cards will be available in church the weekend of June 4-5.

Notre Dame Parish is seeking a Bookkeeper/Business Manager. Please send resume, cover letter, and references to: Notre Dame Parish, 116 3rd St. E., Cresco, Iowa 52136 or call the parish office for more information, 563 547-3565.

Notre Dame Parish Pictorial Directory! We will be doing a new pictorial directory this summer! More information to follow! Photography sessions will be held July 12-15; Aug. 2-6 and Aug. 16-20. If you would like to schedule your family photography session now, go online to www.ucdir.com, click on photography appointment scheduling login on the right side, enter ia164 in the church code field and enter photos in the church password field or stop in the parish office to sign up. Plan to be a part of this new parish directory!

Knights of Columbus awarded scholarships to: Madison Ollendieck \$500.00, Audrey Ferrie \$500.00, Ethan Govern \$500.00 and Carter Johnson \$250.00. Congratulations from KC Council #1571.

Notre Dame Parish TShirts are available through O'Henry's in Cresco. Order forms are available in the front entrance of the church or on the parish website. Orders due by June 3.

Volunteer with Catholic Charities - You can make a difference! Catholic Charities is looking for enthusiastic, service-oriented, and dedicated individuals to join our team as volunteers. We are seeking mentors and support group members to help clients through their journey out of poverty. If you have questions about this opportunity, please contact Daniel Shafer (Waterloo/Mason City), at d.shafer@dbqarch.org or 319-272-2080 or Karen Hoeger (Dubuque) at k.hoeger@dbqarch.org or 563-588-0558.

Thank You

We are grateful for all the volunteers who offer their time and talent as good stewards for the betterment of the parish. This week we thank the members of the Pastoral Council. Note from Fr. Jacob: Here is my mailing address for the summer. I will not be writing back because I need to focus on healing and the program work, but I welcome encouragement in the form of letters and cards. Thank you! Fr. Jacob Rouse, 1601 Joslyn Road, Lake Orion, MI 48360. Note: Fr. Jacob's 4th Anniversary of his ordination is May 26—please keep him in your prayers.

Notre Dame Catholic School is seeking an Administrative Assistant. Please send resume, cover letter, and references to: Notre Dame Catholic School, Mrs. Katie Schmitt, 221 2nd Avenue East, Cresco, Iowa 52136 by May 25, 2022.

Congratulations to Andrew and Holly (Schnitzler)
Oldenburg who were married at St. Bridget on May 14.





ArchdioceseOne is here! What it's all about? The financial beneficiaries of ArchdioceseOne were identified by Archbishop Jackels as the areas of greatest need in our Archdiocese. They were identified after many hours spent consulting clergy

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Please visit our website to learn more about these financial beneficiaries by visiting this link,

https://www.archdioceseone.org/beneficiaries, or by scanning this QR code with your QR enabled mobile device. God, come to our assistance. Lord, make haste to help us. Amen.

Knights of Columbus Council #1571 NEWS FLASH!!! The online promotion to join us for free has been extended to June 30, 2022. Visit www.kofc.org/joinus using promo code MCGIVNEY 2020. Questions call 563 581-2239.

Take 1 Simple Step, Become A Mentor! By supporting a youth for a minimum of four hours per month you can make a positive impact. Be of service to others in your neighborhood. Be a friend! Become a mentor! Get Involved! Contact Kathy or Colinne at 563-387-1720 or mentoring@helpingservices.org.

Annual St. Wenceslaus Church Garage Sale. Saturday, June 4. 7-1 Something for everyone. St. Teresa School gym in Spillville. Kolaches, cookies, jams. Clothing and lots of miscellaneous. See you there.

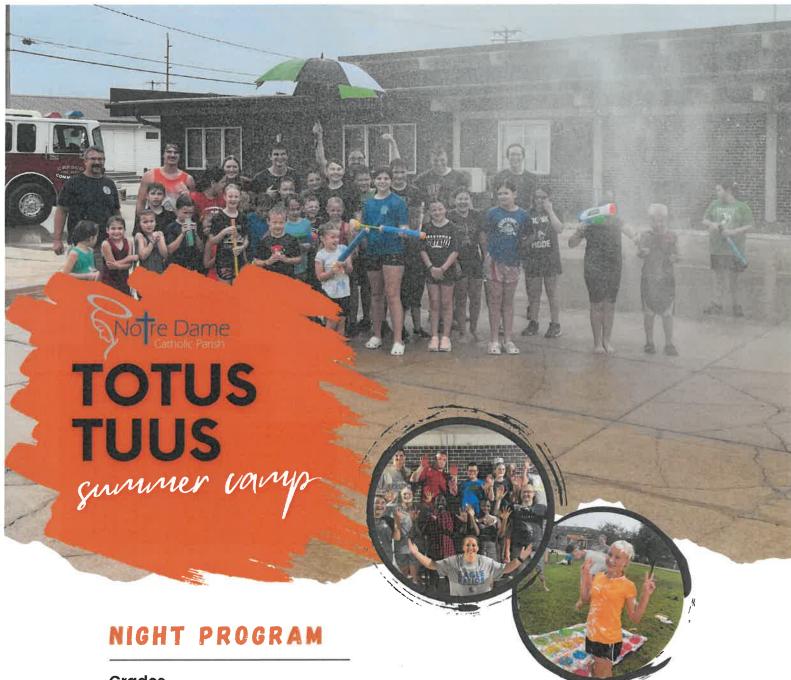
"Come Summer With Me"

Come summer with me, Lord; summer deep down in my soul; restore my faith in summer's time, in rest, in joy, in play, in you...

Summer in my heart, Lord, and dwell there as if time would never end, as if all time were children's time, eternal time when school is always out and joy is ever in...

And let others summer in my shade, Lord, and share whatever summer's peace is mine to give, whatever summer's light is mine to shed, whatever summer's warmth is mine to share...

Good God of every season and every day this week, come summer with me, Lord, and let the child in my heart spend this summer in your love... Amen.



Grades

All students entering 7th-12th grade in the 2022-2023 school year.

Sunday-Thursday

Students will meet the 24th through the 28th in the school library and leave from the church.

7:00PM-9:15PM

Students will spend time playing group games, hearing witness talks from the missionaries and praying together.

JULY 24-29 \$5/PERSON \$15/FAMILY

DAY PROGRAM

Grades

All students entering 1st-6th grade in the 2022-2023 school year.

Monday-Friday

Students will meet and leave from the parish hall the 25th-29th. Students must bring a sack lunch.

9:00AM-2:30PM

Students will have powered learning sessions mixed with games, songs, Totus Tuus Theater, Mass and more!



Notre Dame Family Circles of Faith Meeting --- May 16, 2022

The meeting was called to order by Joye Meyer with an Our Father.

Officers Present: Joye Meyer, Donna Ryant, Terry Duerre, and Pat Pinter.

The Secretary's report was reviewed. Bootie Kapler motioned that the minutes be approved as written, seconded by Terry Duerre. Motion carried. The Treasurer's Report was reviewed. Pat Gosch made a motion to approve the report as printed, seconded by Donna Ryant. Motion carried.

Thank you notes were read.

The next Funeral committee is #2, Next Saturday committee will be #2

Twenty five new tables for the Parish Hall are here and paid for. We will be selling approximately 20 old tables for \$25 each in July. If anyone would like to purchase a table, please contact the Parish Office. It will be first come, first serve for picking out tables.

Bootie Kapler updated / revised the list of instructions for Altar Care; the cleaning supplies are all in one place and organized in the closet in the sacristy. Additional Altar Care people are needed for 2023 or to be a sub as needed. If interested, please call the Parish Office.

Rolicky making for 2022 Howard County Fair will be on Monday, May 23rd, in the church basement. Please consider helping out with this project. Help is needed and appreciated for the Fair Stand -- please fill out and return the signup sheet as soon as possible.

Discussion was held concerning advertising for Circle Dinners and Projects; it has been noted that advertising does improve attendance and profits.

A quilt is being made by Margaret Ward and Jill Ryan to donate to the Hospital Auxiliary Quilt Auction from Notre Dame Parish.

We have several folks in the parish who make Mission Rosaries; Bootie Kapler made a motion to reimburse Pat Pinter for the rosary making supplies and postage for shipping the rosaries. The motion was seconded by Connie Frana, motion carried. If anyone is interested in learning how to make the Rosaries, please contact the Parish Office.

Picture taking for the Pictorial Directory will soon be taking place. You can sign up on-line, call or sign up at the Parish Office, or there will be sign up opportunities in June before and after the Masses. Watch the bulletin for details.

The next meeting is August 15, 2022, at 5:30 pm

A motion to adjourn was made by Connie Kepros, seconded by Pat Gosch. The Motion was carried and the meeting was adjourned with a Hail Mary.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat Pinter, Recording Secretary

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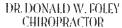
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