

Holy Name Church
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November 19, 2023

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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St. Mary Family Faith DRE: Deb Burwitz
St. Mary CCD DRE: Erica Whalen cell: 605-956-0425

St. Mary Hospitality Coordinators: Virginia Scannell: 477-2113, cell: 712-363-3392, vburkard@alliancecom.net and **Co-Chair Needed** - please contact the parish office if interested.

FORMED Website info: holymarycluster.formed.org

Newcomers: Member registration forms are available in the main entrance to church, on the website, or by contacting the parish office via phone or email.

Baptism: Contact the pastor to schedule.

Marriage Prep: Contact the pastor at least 9 months prior to the date of marriage.

Reconciliation: half hour before these weekend Masses
 Saturday- St. Mary Sunday- Holy Name

Adult Inquiry into Catholic Membership: RCIA program from September to Easter. Contact pastor for more info.

Flocknote: Text HMC to 84576 or by going to <https://holymarycluster.flocknote.com/>

This Week's Mass Schedule

Monday	11/20	SM 8:00 am	(Fr. Jim) +Richard Brink
Tuesday	11/21	SM 5:30 pm	+Leonard Kramer
Weds	11/22	HN 7:30 am	+Alvin & Darlene De Smet
Thursday	11/23	SM 8:00 am	+Jeff Snyders
Friday	11/24	No Mass	
Saturday	11/25	SM 4:00 pm	+Ray & Anna Burkard
			+Anne, John, & Mary Ranschau
Sunday	11/26	HN 8:30 am	Cluster
		SM 10:30 am	+Denny Sauers

Eucharistic Adoration at St. Mary, Larchwood
 Every Tuesday 8:30 am to 1:30 pm in the Adoration Chapel

St. Mary Funeral Schedule: St. Maria Circle
 Please contact Kristie Steen (605) 731-9052
 (if you are able to donate food).

HN PARISH COUNCIL MEETS

Mon. , November 20, 7 pm

PC members are: Fr. Sunny, Jessica David, Justin Christensen, Paul Konechne, Mike Carr, Randy Koll, Alyssa Laleman, Deb Kruse, Brad Lupkes, Mike Vogt, Ginger Rasmussen, Deb Blauwet, Carmen Austin, Cassie Radtke, and Beth VZ.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

meeting at Holy Name on
 Tuesday, November 21st, 7:00 pm

SM PARISH COUNCIL MEETS

Tues., November 21, 7 pm

PC members are: Deb Blauwet, Deb Burwitz, Jess David, Jill Roemen, Mary Stai, Don Burwitz, Shelly McCarty, Erica Whalen, Fr. Sunny, Gerry Stai, Amy Snyders, Jeff Ripperda, Travis Johnson, and Doug Snyders.



Please join us at St. Marys this
 Thursday for Thanksgiving Mass!

Parish office is closed Thursday, November 23rd for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

JOIN US FOR COFFEE & ROLL after Mass this Sunday, November 19th: Holy Name (Circle 2)

Come and join in the fun...

ST. MARY FEATHER PARTY

This Sunday, November 19th after 10:30 Mass

Lunch Menu:
 BBQ's, hotdogs, chili dogs, salad, chips, bars, and beverage.



KC Bingo, Youth Cake Walk
Lots of Good Prizes!

Sponsored by St. Mary Altar Society



All Souls Mass

November 26th
Holy Name- 8:30 am
St. Mary- 10:30 am

***Commemorating those who have died from our cluster with a mass of remembrance.**

Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception

December 8 (Friday –5:30 pm) @ HN

Lector: **Need Volunteer**

EMHC: **Need Volunteer, Need Volunteer, Need Volunteer**

Servers: **Need Volunteer, Need Volunteer**

Gifts/Ushers: **Need Volunteer, Need Volunteer**

December 8 (Friday-7:00 pm) @ SM

Lector: **Need Volunteer**

EMHC: **Need Volunteer, Need Volunteer, Need Volunteer**

Servers: **Need Volunteer, Need Volunteer**

Gifts/Ushers: **Need Volunteer, Need Volunteer**

Let the parish office know if you can help with any of these ministries.

4th Sunday of Advent:

Saturday, Dec. 23 - 4:00 pm at SM
7:00 pm at HN

Sunday, Dec. 24 - 8:30 am at SM



Upcoming Holy Day Mass Schedules.....

Christmas:

Sunday, Dec. 24 - 4:30 pm at HN
10:00 pm at SM (9:30 pm - caroling)

Monday, Dec. 25 - 8:30 am at HN
10:30 am at SM

Eucharistic Bible Study on Jesus & the Eucharist Formed.org

Holy Name

Wed., Nov. 29 HN Adoration 3-8 pm

St. Mary

**Thurs., Nov. 30 SM Adoration 6– 7 pm
Advent Confessions**

Dec. 7 7 - 8 pm

Dec. 14 7 - 8 pm



Eucharistic



Adoration

Eucharistic Revival Year

Strengthen your faith in the
Real Presence

Please join us for Adoration on the
last Wednesday of the month.

Holy Name

Nov. 29th from 3-8 pm.
(Sign- up sheet is in the main entry)

Please join us for Adoration on the last
Thursday of the month.

St. Mary

Nov. 30th from 6-7 pm.
Followed by a social in the parish hall.

Together for Life



Patron Saints for the Family

Today we celebrate the feast of All Saints Day. Have you ever chosen a patron saint for your family? Listen to this episode of [*Ave Explores: The Saints*](#), in which Karianna Frey discusses how patron saints can bring spiritual depth, personal healing, and comfort to a family.



Get to Know the Angels and the Saints

In [*Rebuilt Faith*](#), Fr. Michael White and Tom Corcoran share how the angels and saints serve as our spiritual friends who cheer us on as we "run the race of faith." What can you and your spouse learn from their faults, failures, and accomplishments to grow in holiness as a married couple?

Litany of the Saints



Pray the Litany of the Saints with your spouse throughout the month of November for the grace and strength to uphold your marriage vows and lead each other to heaven.

*If you want to read the whole article go to <https://togetherforlifeonline.com> and click on articles.

Ministry Schedule

Solemnity of Christ the King

November 25 (Sat-4:00 pm) @ SM

Lector: Tony Kerkvliet

EMHC: Tony Kerkvliet, Larry Poss, Ethan Ageson

Servers: Ashley Roemen, John Roemen

Gifts/Ushers: Ryan & Jenn Roemen

November 26 - Sunday 8:30 am @ HN

*Lector: Chad Rasmussen

EMHC: Chad Rasmussen, Roxanne Nelson, Jim VW

Servers: Ryder Laleman, Cole Laleman,

Gifts/Ushers: Tim Laleman, Parker Laleman

**Communion to Homebound: Jim Vander Woude

Offertory: Carmen Austin, Mark Hill

November 26 (Sun-10:30 am) @ SM

Lector: Tracy Kramer

EMHC: Mike Dubbelde, Deb Burwitz, Stephanie Stensland

Servers: Lulu Susie, Evelyn Johnson, Easton Smith

Gifts/Ushers: Jeff & Deb Blauwet

Count Offering: Don Burwitz, Jenny Scholten

Homebound Comm: Mariel Krier *Inwood: **Need Volunteer**

Holy Name

**Wednesday, November 22– No Classes!

**Wednesday, November 29– 2:20 - 4:15 pm (K-6)
7:00 - 8:15 pm (7-12)

HN Confessions (9-12th Grade)

Wednesday, December 6th– **5:30 pm– Mass
(meal to follow)

****Sunday, December 10– Christmas Program!**
(following Mass)
9 & 10th Grade Youth Mass

**Wednesday, December 13– 2:20 - 4:15 pm (K-6)
HN Confessions (3-6th Grade)
7:00 - 8:15 pm (7-12)

St. Mary

FFF- Wednesday, December 6th - (6:45 - 8 pm)
FFF Confessions (3 - 5th grade)

CCD-Wednesday, November 22nd– No Classes!

-Wednesday, November 29th- (6:45 - 8 pm)
(6-8th Grade ONLY)
9-12th Grade - to attend Merge

-Wednesday, December 6th - (6:45 - 8 pm)
Christmas Shopping

-**Sunday, December 10th - Youth Breakfast!**
9:30 am - (10-12th Grade)
11:15 am - (6-9th Grade)

-Wednesday, December 13th - (6:45 - 8 pm)
Confession Prep/Confessions (6-12th grade)

ST. MARY ALTAR SOCIETY ANNUAL

MEETING and election of officers for 2024 will be Sunday, December 10th after Mass. All women of the parish are encouraged to attend.

Meals on Wheels: St. Catherine's is looking for volunteers to help with meals on wheels. Please contact Jennifer Pedersen (605-359-2683) if you are available or interested in assisting with this ministry.



Prayer for the Revival

My God, I believe, I adore, I hope and I love You! I beg pardon for those who do not believe, nor adore, nor hope, nor love You.

Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, I adore You profoundly. I offer You the most precious Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus Christ, present in all the tabernacles of the world in reparation for the outrages, sacrileges and indifference by which He is offended. And, through the infinite merits of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I beg of You the conversion of sinners.

Our Lady of Fatima

HN Christmas Nativity Program

Practice Schedule:

Nov. 29 - during CCD

Dec. 3 - after Sunday Mass

Dec. 6 - Wednesday after Mass/meal

Dec. 9 - 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Dec. 10 - HN Christmas Program





Knight of the Month: Rory McKenney as he recovers from shoulder injury and for participating in church choir and cooking at fish dinners.

Family of the Month: John and Shelly McCarty for being active in church activities including Eucharistic Ministers often.

First Reformed Church - Rock Rapids will be hosting **Grief Share's Surviving the Holidays on November 20th @ 6:30 pm.** All are welcome who have lost a loved one to death. Please feel free to accompany anyone who would like to attend. There is no cost and no sign-up required. If you have any questions please call 712-472-3729.

A Holy Land Pilgrimage

Msgr. Ed Girres will be the chaplain for a Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, September 10-19, 2024. Double occupancy, pp, \$4,995, single occupancy, \$5,995, departing from Des Moines. For more information on the holy sites to be visited, and other travel information, please go to: stcharlespilgrimages.com

ALL LECTORS are asked to please pick up a copy of the 2024 Lector Workbook from the sacristy. Please check your name off the list when you pick up your book. Thank you for your service to our parish.



Food Pantry needs: Paper towels, gravy mixes, canned soups, peanut butter, and noodles (spaghetti, elbow mac, etc).

November 30- Frontier Bank in Rock Rapids will be offering a \$5 donation check to be written to the church or charity of choice. Anyone can stop in for a check, you do not need to be a customer, so this is a great opportunity for everyone!

Pop tabs for charity!

The Central CAPS group will be collecting pop tabs throughout this semester to help fund the Ronald McDonald House Charities. Any pop tab donations would be deeply appreciated. There will be a bucket in the back of the church to drop off your pop tabs. More information is located on the bucket.

Thank you!
Gabrielle Rasmussen & Central Lyon CAPS

HOLY NAME

Last Weekend's Stewardship

Adult	\$1,345
Loose	\$128.37
Youth	\$12
Haiti	\$145
St. Joseph Ed Society	\$10

ST. MARY

Last Weekend's Stewardship

Adult	\$2,666
Loose	\$260
Youth	\$27
Haiti	\$468
Catholic Charities	\$300
St. Joseph Ed Society	\$100



Our Special Intention Prayer List

St. Mary:

Dale Stoebner
Special Intention
Denny Attmon
Victor & Family

Darlene Meier
Pauline Teubel
Becky Albers
Tony Stubeda

Jason Omar
World Peace
Our Country
Our Church

Holy Name:

Robert Teeselink
Russ Pedersen

Lynette Clasen
Cora Lee Koel

Todd Altman
Kari Jurrens

Sister Parishes in Haiti

2023 Together As One Update

Thank you to those who contributed. If you haven't made your contribution yet, there's still time to be part of a good thing !

	Goal:	Pledged:	Paid:	
Holy Name:	\$7,573	\$4,041	\$4,041	26 families
St. Mary:	\$12,646	\$9,553	\$8,763	46 families



A short online retreat, "Longing for God," will include short presentations, quiet reflection time, and prayer. Participants will walk with the people of the Old Testament days as they longed for God and find hope in stories from the New Testament. Join the Benedictine Sisters of Sacred Heart Monastery Peace Center on Zoom from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. on **Thursday, November 30.**

The cost of the retreat is \$30. Registration must be completed by November 29 by visiting <https://YanktonBenedictines.org/advent-retreat> or by sending an email to benedictinepeacectr@yanktonbenedictines.org. For more information, call 605-668-6292 or visit the webpage <https://yanktonbenedictines.org/advent-retreat/>.