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"Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things.
There is need of only one thing.
Mary has chosen the better part
and it will not be taken from her."
Luke 10:41-42



Mass Times & Intentions

TUES. July 22/ NO MASS

WED. July 23/ NO MASS

THURS. July 24/ NO MASS

FRI. July 25/ NO MASS

SAT. July 26/ 4:00 PM, St. Patrick: Carol Duvey

SAT. July 26/ 6:30 PM, St. Joseph: Marie Holub

SUN. July 27/ 8:00 AM, St. Stephen: Marianne Lawrence

SUN. July 27/ 10:30 AM, St. Patrick: For the People

Reconciliation: 3:30 p.m. on Saturday at St. Patrick; 7:30 a.m. on Sunday at St. Stephen or by appointment.

For all other Sacraments, please, call or stop in either parish office.

North Linn Cluster Office & Staff

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Tues. 9:00 am - 12:00 pm
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From the Parish Office

St. Patrick Church is excited to welcome Mary's Meals and beloved Catholic speaker and musician Steve Angrisano for a powerful evening of *Hope, Music, and Storytelling* on **Wednesday, August 13 at 6:30 PM**. This special event will take place at the **Ellen Kennedy Fine Arts Center at Anamosa High School** and will highlight the incredible mission of Mary's Meals to feed children around the world, Mary's Meals is a global movement that provides a daily meal in a place of education for over 2.4 million of the world's poorest children. Their simple solution to hunger is transforming lives and giving hope through both nourishment and access to education. All are invited to come be inspired, informed, and part of something truly life-changing!

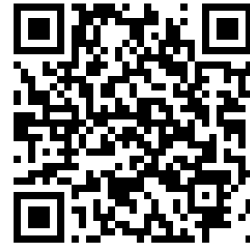
To hear a sample of
Steve's music and
ministry



[Steve Angrisano
Music](#)

Watch Child 31, a 30 minute
documentary of Mary's Meals work
and impact

Scan QR or click the link



[Mary's Meals](#)

**mary's
meals**

a simple solution to world hunger

LITURGICAL MINISTERS	July 26 4:00 p.m. St. Patrick	July 26 4:00 p.m. St. Joseph	July 27 8:00 a.m. St. Stephen	July 27 10:30 a.m. St. Patrick
Lector	Marcia Finn	Teresa Uhlenkamp	David Allen	Rosann Hurt
Children Liturgy	N/A	N/A	N/A	Veronica Groesbeck Molly Rogers
Eucharistic Ministers	*Barb Capron Patty Delagardelle Sherry Engelbart Geraldyn Russ *clean vessels	Don Reichenauer LaRae Reichenauer Teresa Uhlenkamp	Merle Akers Chuck Meeker Diane Brecht	*Greg Husmann Nancy Edwards Lynn Engelken Kimberly Keister *clean vessels
Altar Servers	Payton Stupka TBD	Thomas Jerome Autumn Jerome	Everett Watkinson Hazel Ward	Carl Steinlage James Thomsen
Greeters	Bob Gravel Natalie Gravel	Don Reichenauer LaRae Reichenauer	Don Hogan Karla Hogan	Carol Husmann Greg Husmann
Ushers	Ron Althoff Keith Doyle	Don Reichenauer LaRae Reichenauer	Don Hogan Karla Hogan	Rick Cook Michael Finn
Sacristan	Loretta Holzinger	Gifts: Dean & Teresa Uhlenkamp	Gifts: McGovern and Carpenter Family	Geri Conley Charlene Knutsen
Rosary	Greg Pospisil	N/A	Mark Rochford	Bill Sperfslage

St. Patrick News



LET US PRAY FOR...

Mary Barnes, Margaret Bishop, Dale Breon, Jan Bressler, Matthew Corpstein, Jordan Darrow, Amanda Gardner, Dan Gilmore, Patty Gilmore, Nancy Haefner, Bob Holland, Esther Hudson, Jennifer Jeffrey, Matthew Jennings, Alvin Johnson, Cheryl Leiferman, Lavonne Ludwig, James McIntyre (grandson of Patty Gilmore), Shannon McManus, Morgan Meyer, Dennis Moss, Sharon Nakielski, Ember O'Donnell, Angie Osterkamp, Deb Paustian, Barb Rumsey, Edith Schwes, John Secrist, Candy Shada, Cooper Sievers, Samuel Simko, Catherine Skarbek, Robert Skarbek, Caro Thompson, John K. Tigan, Mary Jo Yotty, those homebound and in care centers, those listed in our Prayer Intention Book

Our Sanctuary Lamp will burn for
Holy Souls in Purgatory
the week of July 20
Christ be our light
shine through the darkness

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For our 2025-2026 Faith Formation Year!

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Summer is Grilling Time!

KC Sandwich-to-Go
July 26 and 27 after Mass



Donations to purchase a
new curriculum for our Faith
Formation Group



St. Patrick's Farmers Market *Free*

Garden Vegetables
&
Fruit



If you're finding that you have an
overabundant amount of food and would
like to share some of it with your church
family, please leave them on the table in the
elevator entrance for people to take and
enjoy.

Join Us This Fall!

She
Shall Be
Called
Woman

Starting Sunday,
September 7, 2025
8:30 AM - 10:00 AM
Church Parish Hall



MASTERPIECE of CREATION



St. Patrick Catholic Church, Anamosa



St. John, Coggon | St. Joseph, Prairieburg | St. Stephen, Central City

LET US PRAY FOR...

Don Beranek, Anita Besler, Pat Cameron, Ruby Drexler, Karen Dunlap, Glenda Grant, Jean Greif, Diane Korte, Steve Kueter, Cheryl LloydRyan, Skip Powers, Dan Reiter, Sharon Reiter, Zora Ronan, Bert Shulista, Steve Walker, Janet Weber, Sam Weller, James Weighton, Kenneth Zieser

"To sing is to pray twice!"- St. Augustine

We are in need of music in our churches. If you sing, play the piano, guitar, spoons, whatever we'd love to hear it at Mass! Call the office to get more information 319-438-6625



St Stephen's Prayer Chain

If you wish to participate in the chain or have a prayer request, call or message 319-438-1170. Names and details are not required, a request will be sent to volunteers and prayer will be offered for that intention.



St. Stephen Vocation Crucifix Sign up today!



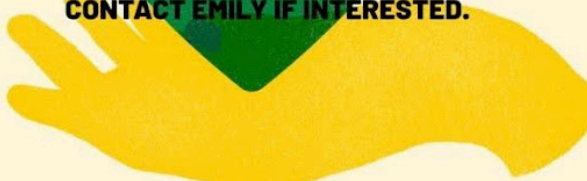
Parish Visitor Reminder:

Please call the office or Monica if you would like Monica to sit in prayer with you or bring you the Blessed Sacrament on a regular basis or to schedule a special time for you. Monica: 319-438-1979.



IN SEARCH OF THOSE WILLING TO SHARE THEIR FAITH AND GO OUT AND TEACH LIKE JESUS ASKED US TO!

LOOKING FOR FAITH FORMATION TEACHERS AND CONFIRMATION TEACHERS/GROUP LEADERS ON SUNDAYS FOR THE UPCOMING FAITH FORMATION YEAR. CONTACT EMILY IF INTERESTED.



This Quarter's Social Concerns 3rd Sunday Loose Change Collection will be going to St. Stephen Ministries.



St. Stephen the Witness
Catholic Student Center

Just a reminder for our Cluster Cemeteries: When there is bad weather, flowers and other items placed near or on grave stones may be displaced or damaged. Cemetery staff are not responsible for this and are unable to replace or fix these items.



Join the His Hands Bible Drive!
July 13 – August 10



What We're Asking:

We are accepting new and gently used English Bibles and/or monetary donations to support the purchase of Bibles in other languages, and we could really use your help. Large print Bibles are especially needed.

Why:

Collected English Bibles will be shared with patients in need, and funds raised will help us purchase Bibles in the many languages spoken by our diverse patient population.

There will be a box in the gathering space until August 10th if you have extra Bibles you are interested in donating!

Mark Your Calendars!



St. Stephen's NBP Chicken dinner will be on Sunday, August 17th. Stay tuned for more details!!

All Parish News

Weekly Offerings--7/14

St. Patrick--\$3,253.00
St. Joseph--\$474.00
St. John--\$125.00
St. Stephen--\$1,828.00
Mt. Olivet Cemetery \$
St. Joseph Cemetery \$50.00

Weekly offerings can be made through automatic ACH withdrawals. Forms can be found on the parish websites. Completed forms can be mailed, dropped off or put in the collection basket at Mass.

The Week Ahead

Wed. 7/23 9:00 a.m. Faith in Action- Making Laundry Detergent:
St. Paul Anamosa

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her" (Luke 10:42). The story of Mary and Martha reminds us that spouses, too, can be either a diligent servant (Martha) or a quiet contemplative (Mary). Which are you? Or are you both? How does this mesh with your spouse's temperament?

Scripture For The Week: July 21 - July 27

Mon. 7/21	Exodus 14:5-18	Matthew 12:38-42
Tues. 7/22	Song of Songs 3:1-4b	John 20:1-2, 11-18
Wed. 7/23	Exodus 16:1-5, 9-15	Matthew 13:1-9
Thurs. 7/24	Exodus 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b	Matthew 13:10-17
Fri. 7/25	2 Corinthians 4:7-15	Matthew 20:20-28
Sat. 7/26	Exodus 24:3-8	Matthew 13:24-30

Sunday, July 27 Readings

Genesis 18:20-32 Colossians 2:12-14
Luke 11:1-13

2025-2027 IMPACT Program for Catholic Adults
IMPACT is a two-year formation program for Catholic adults, which is coordinated by the Archdiocese of Dubuque. The next offering of the IMPACT program will be held at St. Mary Catholic Church in Vinton, starting in September of 2025. IMPACT provides the opportunity to grow in your faith by attending monthly Saturday sessions with dynamic presenters, engaging in discussions with other participants, reading spiritual books, and receiving guidance from a spiritual mentor. Through study, prayer, reflection, and conversation, participants are challenged to respond more fully to Jesus' call to mission—to IMPACT our world! To learn more and apply, visit www.dbqarch.org/impact.

MARRIED COUPLES.

Give your marriage a well-deserved vacation. Plan to go on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and come back with a marriage that is refreshed and full of energy! Our next weekend is September 12-14 in Dubuque.

For more information call
Denise and Greg at
(563)920-9419 or
visit www.we.org.



Thank you from St. Stephen the Witness Catholic Student Center

Thank you for welcoming me on July 12/13 allowing me to pray with you and share the good news of St. Stephen the Witness. Thanks also for any support you gave or will give, both prayerful and financial, to continue the mission of helping our college age young people deepen their friendship with Jesus in the Catholic Church.

~Paul Lee

If you still wish to give, please make a check to St. Stephen the Witness and mail it to the address below:

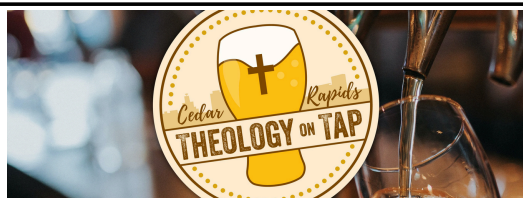
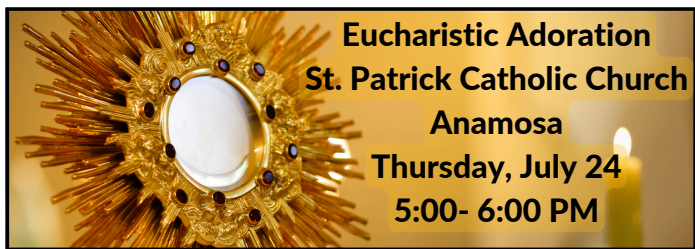
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You can also give online with the QR code or at:

<https://bit.ly/ststephenuni>

Eucharistic Adoration
St. Patrick Catholic Church
Anamosa
Thursday, July 24
5:00- 6:00 PM



All 21-39 year olds are invited to join us at Parlor City on July 17th at 6pm to hear Jerica Christensen on "Pilgrims of Hope".
First drink is on us!

Check out [facebook.com/CRTOT](https://www.facebook.com/CRTOT) for more information.

The Eucharistic Miracle of Guadalupe, Spain 1420

Reprinted from Eucharistic Miracles Exhibition
<http://www.miracolieucaistici.org/en/Liste/list.html>

During the celebration of the Mass, a priest saw numerous drops of Blood fall from the consecrated Host. The miracle contributed to strengthening the belief of the priest and many of the faithful, among whom was also the King of Castile. There are numerous documents that testify to the miracle. The relics of the marvel had been exhibited for the veneration of the faithful during the Eucharistic Congress of Toledo in 1926 and even today are the objects of deep devotion to the whole of the Spanish people.



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