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ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

MONDAY—AUGUST 22

The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:30 a.m. Eucharist [*Mary Drevs+*] - Movable

TUESDAY—AUGUST 23

Twenty-First Tuesday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Rosary - Movable

8:00 a.m. Eucharist [*Marvin & Dorothy Dugan+*] - Kingsley

7:00 p.m. WFCC Parish Life Team Meeting - Movable

WEDNESDAY—AUGUST 24

Saint Bartholomew, Apostle

7:30 a.m. Eucharist [*Shirlee Williams+*] - Movable

THURSDAY—AUGUST 25

Twenty-First Thursday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Rosary - Movable

8:00 a.m. Eucharist [*Dale Leekley+*] - Kingsley

12:30 p.m. PieceMakers - Movable

FRIDAY—AUGUST 26

Twenty-First Friday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Rosary - Movable

SATURDAY—AUGUST 27

Saint Monica

11:00 a.m. Hall Rental (Harmes) - Movable

4:00 p.m. Reconciliation - Movable

5:00 p.m. Eucharist [*Gert Friis+*] - Movable

6:00 p.m. Fellowship Dinner (KC8232) - Movable

SUNDAY—AUGUST 28

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Reconciliation - Kingsley

9:00 a.m. Eucharist [*Rev. Msgr. Nicholas Ruba+*] - Kingsley

**WHAT'S HAPPENING
IN OUR PARISH**

Please visit the WFCC website to find more information about both parishes, to read and/or download this weekly bulletin, to read the latest news, and to learn more about our faith.
<http://www.westforkcatholiccommunity.org>
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21 August 2016

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Lord, will only a few people be saved?” Why ask such a question? Certainly, it is an important question. Perhaps the man asking was seeking assurance that he was going to be saved. Maybe he thought that heaven was “small” with only a few insiders and no outsiders getting in, and he didn’t want to be left out. Or perhaps, like all of us, he was worried about how to respond to strife and conflict, and he wanted to make sure that he was on the right track; that he was doing the right things. Possibly, he wanted a checklist—“Do all of these things and don’t do any of those things, and you’ll get to heaven.”

If he was expecting a precise answer he had to be disappointed with Jesus’ answer. As sincere as he may have been, whatever his motives were, Jesus sounds downright stern and uncompromising. Making it personal, Jesus tells him that salvation requires effort—strenuous, intensive, and sometimes even painful effort. That it will be like squeezing through a narrow door and the door won’t always remain open. And that there is urgency and we should never get overconfident, because we will be surprised who gets in *and who doesn’t*. What about those who claim a special relationship with Jesus? Well, Jesus had only one thing to say to them - and it’s an admonishment: “I do not know where you are from.”

“Lord, will only a few people be saved?” It’s a question to which we all want an answer. The answer we hope to hear is: “No, not just a few, but all of you! Everyone who strives to live good lives, who tries to be decent person, who does their best; don’t worry, you’re all covered!” But it’s not the answer we receive... is it? Salvation is not as simple as having membership in a particular Church. We can’t earn our way to or deserve entrance into heaven by some kind of spiritual workout routine—human capability and effort are just not enough. “Lord, will only a few people be saved?” It’s so hard for us to understand this mystery of salvation, that salvation that is not limited by law, ritual, or our own expectations of who will and won’t be saved.

We all seek assurance of our place in the next world. And we all want to be the insiders, but Jesus cautions us about how misguided our expectations can be. All roads do not lead to heaven—only one road, one path, through one narrow gate. And that gate is Jesus. If this sounds like a dire warning - it is! We can’t be complacent. We can’t be smug, assuming that we’re automatically guaranteed an “in” position. It’s not enough that we believe - we have to act on it! It’s not enough that we come to Mass, we have to let God’s word and his body and blood change us. And like those in Isaiah’s vision who were chosen to bring the message of what

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NEW MASS TIMES after a lot of discussion by all councils and teams of WFCC starting Saturday, September 10, Mass times will be changing to Kingsley, Saturday, 5:00 p.m. and Movable, Sunday, 9:00 a.m.



MINISTERS' ASSIGNMENTS

SUNDAY AUGUST 28 9:00 A.M.

- Altar Servers:** Abby Thompson, Alex Thompson, Rachel Bohle
- Reader(s):** Emy Benson, Tom Spooner
- Cantor:** Julie Leekley
- Organist:** Jolene Spooner
- Gifts:** Perry Slota Family
- Communion:** Lois Galles, Marie Benedix, Jerry Seuntjens
- KNH:** Janice Meister
- Greeters:** Janice Meister, Anne Dunn
- Ushers:** Randy Plendl, Neal Rolling
- Collection**
- Counters:** Barb Crabb, Shelly Krieg

INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

Adult Envelopes	\$1,630.00 (34 Envelopes)
Youth Envelopes*	\$35.00 (3 Envelopes)
Loose	\$174.00
Building Fund	\$100.00 (1 Envelope)
Cemetery	\$700.00
Mission-Visiting Priest.....	\$15.00
Rent	\$465.00
Total Income	\$3,119.00
Needed Each Week	\$2,877.89
Total Expenses.....	\$0.00
*Time/Talent quotes from youth envelopes: none	

BUDGET REPORT 2016-2017

Income needed by 30 June 2017:	\$150,234.37
Income needed each week:	\$2,889.12
Income received since 1 July 2016:	\$20,383.45

8/19/2016

SMC SANCTUARY LIGHT [AUGUST 21-26] burns for the People of WFCC.

Weeks available until December 25.

FROM THE DESK OF BARB SITZMANN, DRE:

- Catechists and aides- we will be having a joint catechist “beginning of the year” meeting at the Kingsley Faith Formation building on Wednesday, August 31st at 7:30 pm. Please make plans to attend. Please let me know if you will not be able to make it!
- Faith Formation registration will be held on Wednesday, September 7th from 4-7 pm in the church hall.
- First day of Faith Formation classes will be on Wednesday, September 7th. PS-4th grade will attend from 4-5 pm with transportation being provided by the KP school for K-4th graders, with the exception of the early out Wednesdays held once a month, starting in October. Evening classes will be held from 7-8 pm for 5th-12th graders.
- Contact info: St. Michael FF Center 378-2021, Barb’s cell 712-251-8567, home phone 378-2052, work phone 378-2861. Emails- FF stmikedre@gmail.com, home barbsitzmann@yahoo.com, work bsitzmann@k-pcsd.org.

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they had seen to others, we too are called to witness what we have received and learned to others—those in our families, our friends and others in this parish who were once here with us on Sundays but no longer are. To bring them the good news and bring them back.

When (God-willing) we stand at the threshold of the narrow gate and look across it, will we recognize the faces of those who are there because of us, or will we see just strangers? And how will we respond to God when He poses the question to each of us, “How many others are here because of you?”

Fr. Brad Pelzel

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THE GLOBE Check out Meditations in a Minute by Bishop Walker Nickless at catholicglobe.org! Got news? Email news@scdiocese.org or call (800) 352-9035 or (712) 255-2550.

TRINITY HEIGHTS On Saturday, September 10, pro-life Americans throughout the country will gather at the gravesites of aborted babies and other memorial sites dedicated in their

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MINISTERS' ASSIGNMENTS

SATURDAY AUGUST 20 5:00 P.M.

Altar Servers: Noah O'Mara, Paige Glackin, Volunteer

Reader(s): Cindy Hesse

Cantor: Sally Schultz

Organist: Laura Krajicek

Gifts: Helen Coulter

Communion: Mary Schultz, Mike Byers, Volunteer

CharMac: Elaine Ketelsen

Ushers: Butch Grell, Jim Gries

Collection

Counters: Marcia Sailer, Connie Brockhaus

INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

Adult Envelopes\$1,600.00 (32 Envelopes)

Youth Envelopes*\$16.53 (8 Envelopes)

Loose \$38.00

Fair Stand-Pies..... \$30.00

Fair Stand-Workers\$355.89

Total Income \$2,040.42

Needed Each Week \$2,859.23

Total Parish Expenses \$150.00

*Time/Talent quotes from youth envelopes: none

2016 FAIR STAND REPORT

Income	
Monday	\$0.00
Tuesday	\$810.76
Wednesday	\$3,918.77
Thursday	\$5,674.50
Friday	\$6,319.25
Saturday	\$5,392.75
Sunday	\$5,383.61
Miscellaneous Income	
Pie Income	\$605.89
Worker Income	\$530.25
Total Income	\$28,635.78
Expenses	
Worker Expense	\$623.53
Pie Expense	\$0.00
Other Expenses	\$8,484.26
Total Expenses	\$9,107.79
Total Net Income	\$19,527.99

FROM THE DESK OF ANGIE DUFFY, DFF:

- **Catechist**, August 31 at 7:30 p.m. we will be having a Faith Formation in-service at the Kingsley Faith Formation building. Please plan to attend. Let me know if you will not be able to make it.
- Looking ahead. Faith Formation Open House will be held on **September 7**. Registration is at 6:30 p.m. with a parent meeting following at 7:00 p.m. It is important that parents attend the meeting. Looking forward to seeing you!
- **Diocesan Youth Conference**, Sept. 25 from 10:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart Parish in Spencer, IA. Students in grades 6-8 would attend the Middle School track session and students in grades 9-12 would attend the High School track session. If interested in attending please contact me, Angie, at 873-3644 or go to the Sioux City Diocese website, www.lscdiocese.org, to learn more information and register.
- **SEARCH RETREATS** for high school sophomores, juniors, and seniors have been set for November 11-13 at Sacred Heart School in Early, IA and March 3-5 at Spalding Catholic School in Granville, IA. Please think about attending a Search Retreat. It is a wonderful and moving experience. More details to come in the future.

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BUDGET REPORT 2016-2017

Income needed by 30 June 2017: \$150,548.91

Income needed each week: \$2,895.17

Income received since 1 July 2016: \$42,944.91

8/19/2016

ICC SANCTUARY LIGHT [AUGUST 21-26] burns for Gail d'Au-guste+ at the request of Don & Jan Wohlert.

Weeks available until December 4.

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honor for the third annual National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children. Solemn vigils will be held at these sites to commemorate the more than 55 million children who have lost their lives to legal abortion since 1973, and to remind our society of the humanity of the unborn child. Please join us for the memorial service in our community on Saturday, September 10, 11:00 a.m. at the **Circle of Life located at Trinity Heights, Queen of Peace** in Sioux City (33rd and Floyd Blvd.)



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Leonard Beaver, Juanita Beaubien, Jim Berens, Rose Brown, Tom/Donna Clark, Virginia Connelly, Hilda Dragoo, Pauline Dugan, Kara Funk, Charlotte Honkomp, Virginia & Walt Kabisch, Millie Kisting, Harold Kloewer, Veronica Koebel, Joan McCain, Patricia McConnell, Beverly Petekavich, Bob/Patricia Rogers, Jim Roger, Kay Sands, Judy Schroeder, Sylvesta Slota, Harlan/Fairy Steffe, Bernice Timmins, Marcella Thomas, Jeune Vondrak, Gerry Weinriech, Emmet Woltman, and the men and women serving in the military and police.

IMPORTANT DATES

- August 31, 7:00 p.m.: ICC Catechist Inservice [M]
- August 31, 7:30 p.m.: SMC Catechist Inservice [K]
- September 2, TBA: Wedding Rehearsal (Meinen/Sitzmann) [K]
- September 3, TBA: Wedding (Meinen/Sitzmann) [K]
- September 4, 9:00 a.m.: Baptism (Thompson) [K]
- September 5: OFFICES CLOSED
- September 6, 6:30 p.m.: SMC Parish/Finance Council Meeting [K]
- September 6, 7:00 p.m.: ICC Guild Meeting [M]
- September 7, 10:00 a.m.: Eucharist [KNH]
- September 7, 4:00-7:00 p.m.: SMC Faith Formation Registration [K]
- September 7, 6:30-7:30 p.m.: ICC Faith Formation Registration [M]
- September 10, 6:00 p.m.: Fellowship Dinner (Guild) [K]
- September 11, 10:00 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (KC8232) [M]
- September 11, 1:00 p.m.: BCC Session 1 [K]
- September 11, 2:00 p.m.: BCC Session 2 [K]
- September 13, 7:00 p.m.: Eucharist [M]
- September 13, 7:30 p.m.: KC8232 Meeting [M]
- September 14, 11:00 a.m.: Eucharist [CharMac]
- September 14, 4:00 p.m.: SMC Server Training [K]
- September 14, 7:00 p.m.: CICC [M]
- September 14, 7:00 p.m.: SMC Guild Meeting [K]
- September 18, 10:00 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (Guild) [M]
- September 18, 1:00 p.m.: BCC Session 3 [K]
- September 18, 2:00 p.m.: BCC Session 4 [K]
- September 18, 3:00 p.m.: BCC Session 5 [K]
- September 18, 6:00-8:00 p.m.: Virtus Training [M]
- September 20, 6:30 p.m.: ICC Pastoral Council Meeting [M]
- September 20, 8:00 p.m.: ICC Finance Council Meeting [M]
- September 21, 4:00 p.m.: ICC Server Training [M]
- September 21, 7:00 p.m.: WFCC First Reconciliation Parent Meeting [K]
- September 25: Diocesan Youth Conference [TBA]
- September 25, 10:00 a.m.: Full Breakfast (KC8232) [M]
- September 28, 7:00 p.m.: CICC [M]
- September 30, TBA; Wedding Rehearsal (Uhl/Lehmann) [M]
- October 1, TBA: Wedding (Uhl/Lehmann) [M]
- October 5, 10:00 a.m.: Eucharist [KNH]
- October 5, 6:30-8:30 p.m.: ICC Field Trip [Trinity Heights]
- October 7, TBA: Wedding Rehearsal (Felts/Walsh) [K]
- October 8, TBA: Wedding (Felts/Walsh) [K]
- October 8, 6:00 p.m.: Fellowship Dinner (Guild) [M]
- October 11, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.: OFFICES CLOSED

WEST FORK CATHOLIC COMMUNITY INFORMATION

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Groundskeeper: Jerome Gollhofer

WFCC [MOVILLE] OFFICE HOURS:
Mon.-Fri. 8:15 a.m.-noon, 1:00-4:45 p.m.
Other times by appointment

EUCHARIST:
Saturday: 5:00 p.m.-Moville
Sunday: 9:00 a.m.-Kingsley
Monday, Wednesday: 8:00 a.m.-Moville
Tuesday, Thursday: 8:00 a.m.-Kingsley

RECONCILIATION:
Saturday: 4:00-4:45 p.m.-Moville
Sunday: 8:00-8:45 a.m.-Kingsley
Other times by appointment

MORNING PRAYER:
Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:00 a.m.—Moville
Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:00 a.m.—Kingsley

BAPTISM is to be arranged with the pastor in order to prepare for the child's baptism after completion of Baptism Class held quarterly (March, June, September, December).

MARRIAGE preparation is to begin 6-12 months before the wedding day. Please contact the pastor so that all preparations can be completed in time for the wedding and marriage.
Remember, a wedding is just a day, a marriage is a LIFETIME!

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: By appointment; last Sunday of October during Sunday Masses.

PERSONS WISHING TO JOIN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, whether baptized in another faith or unbaptized and over the age of seven [7], should contact the pastor to begin the process known as RCIA at anytime of the year.