



Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

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ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

MONDAY—OCTOBER 8

Twenty-Seventh Monday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville

TUESDAY—OCTOBER 9

Twenty-Seventh Tuesday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville

8:00 a.m. Eucharist [Three Reposed Sisters] - Merville

6:30 p.m. KC8232 Steak Fry/Meeting - Merville

WEDNESDAY—OCTOBER 10

Twenty-Seventh Wednesday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville

8:00 a.m. Eucharist [Geraldine Meylor+] - Anthon

4:00 p.m. Faith Formation (PS-4) - Kingsley

4:00 p.m. Faith Formation (PS-4) - Merville

4:00 p.m. Adoration - Merville

6:30 p.m. Faith Formation - Anthon

7:00 p.m. Faith Formation (5-12) - Kingsley

7:00 p.m. Faith Formation (5-8) - Merville

7:00 p.m. CICC - Merville

7:50 p.m. Adoration - Merville

THURSDAY—OCTOBER 11

Twenty-Seventh Thursday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville

8:00 a.m. Eucharist [Marvin McDermott+] - Kingsley

12:30 p.m. PieceMakers (Guild) - Merville

7:00 p.m. ICC Faith Formation/Youth Ministry Team Meeting - Merville

FRIDAY—OCTOBER 12

Twenty-Seventh Friday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Rosary - Merville

11:00 a.m. Eucharist [Jerome "Jerry" Fisher+] - LSL

SATURDAY—OCTOBER 13

Twenty-Seventh Saturday in Ordinary Time

4:30-4:45 p.m. Reconciliation - Anthon

4:35 p.m. Rosary - Anthon

5:00 p.m. Eucharist [Paul Clausen+] - Anthon

SUNDAY—OCTOBER 14

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00-8:15 a.m. Reconciliation - Merville

8:00 a.m. Rosary - Merville

8:30 a.m. Eucharist [Leslie Walker+] - Merville

9:30 a.m. Coffee/Juice/Rolls (KC8232) - Merville

9:30-9:45 a.m. Reconciliation - Kingsley

9:35 a.m. Rosary - Kingsley

10:00 a.m. Eucharist [People of WFCC] - Kingsley

11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. SJC Chicken Dinner - Anthon

Please visit the WFCC website to find more information about our 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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7 October 2018

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

BREAKFAST/DINNERS:

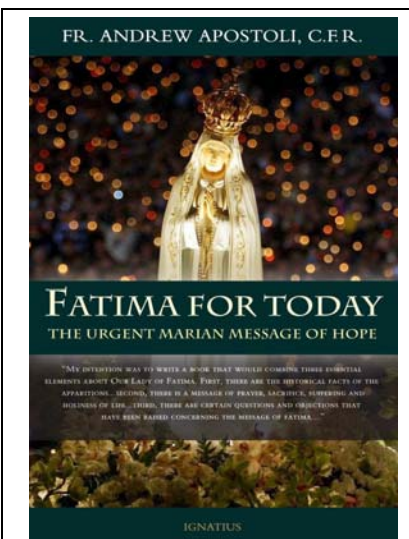
- **Remsen St. Mary's Breakfast Buffet**, Sunday, October 7, 8:00-11:30 a.m. at the Remsen St. Mary High School Cafeteria. Serving egg bake, pancakes, cheesy potatoes, sausage, ham, mixed fruit, assorted rolls, coffee, milk and juice. Adults: \$8.00; Children (5-10): \$4.00; Children (4 & Under): \$2.00; Carry-outs: \$8.00.
- **St. Joseph's Annual Chicken Dinner**, Sunday, October 14, 11:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m. ~ Church base-ment (Handicap accessible). Adults: \$10.00; Children (10 & under): \$5.00. Carry-outs available. For deliveries, call 373-5573 (Anthon only). Catholic Daughters will be having their Silent Auction in conjunction with our Annual Chicken Dinner on Sunday, October 14th. All proceeds from the silent auction will go toward such things as the CDA Scholarship program and retreats offered by the CDA. Please stop by their table and consider bidding on some of their donated items. Thank you!

2018-2019 DAA The 2018/2019 Diocesan Annual Appeal has begun! Please prayerfully consider your pledge to DAA. See each parishes section in the bulletin for the goals. When our parishes go over its diocesan support goal 100% of that overage amount is returned to our parish for its use. Your generous gift gives us the opportunity to act together as a family of faith and support the programs and services no single individual or parish can offer by themselves. Your gift is important! To learn more visit <https://scdiocese.org/daa/>.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE is a focused pro-life campaign using prayer, fasting and peaceful vigil to end abortion. Please promote the culture of life by participating in the pro-life events now through the month of October.

- **Please note** that, during the month of October, the **Knights of Columbus** will have their **"Baby Shower For Life"**. They are collecting diapers, formula, baby food, clothing, toys, and monetary donations. A Pack & Play, for you to use to put your donations, is located in the back of the church. All items collected will be given to Mary's Choice in Sioux City for distribution to those women in need of support for a difficult or unplanned pregnancy. Thank you for your support.
- **Prayer** - a prayer sheet is available in the back of church. Join in praying them daily for 40 days for the respect of life and the end of abortion.
- **Fasting** - offer penance, fasting and suffering for the end of abortion.
- **Read the Catholic Globe** for info in how to participate in 40 Days for Life.

MEMORIAL MASS OF BABIES The annual Memorial Mass for Babies will be held Thursday, October 11 at



**October 13
Fatima Miracle of the Sun**

Watch:

- *Finding Fatima
- *The 13th Day
- *Religious Mysteries Volume 2
- *The Day the Sun Danced

Read:

*Fatima for Today

Listen:

- *Our Lady of Fatima
- *Audiobook: Fatima for Today

Suggestions can be found at www.formed.org

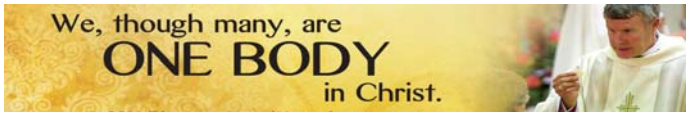
St. Joseph Church - Anthon

INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

Adult Envelopes	\$1,045.00
Loose	\$110.00
Bat Removal	\$775.00
Faith Formation.....	\$25.00
Improvement Fund	\$20.00
Total Income	\$1,975.00

BUDGET REPORT 2018-2019

Income needed by 30 June 2019:	\$85,185.00
Income needed each week:	\$1,640.00
Income received since 1 July 2018:	\$17,973.24



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in Christ.

2018	
\$ Goal:	\$6,974.00
\$ Pledged:	\$1,863.00
\$ Given:	\$1,183.00
Pledges Goal:	110
Participants:	13
Participant Rate:	11.8%

BAT CONTROL PROJECT we has signed an exclusion contract with Orkin Pest Control to aid us in eliminating our bat issue in the church. All parishioners are in agreement that something needs to be done about this issue but, it does not come without cost. The contracted amount for this project is \$12,500. We ask that everyone give a generous donation toward the project; to do so, please put your donation in an enveloped marked "Bat Control Project" and put it in the collection basket. Orkin has completed the work and so the invoice will be due soon. Your kind and generous donation will be greatly appreciated to help keep our parish "bat-free"!

PRAYER TREE CONTACTS for St. Joseph's are: Karen Sawin (827-4159) and Beth Sauser (373-5585).

PARISH HALL RENTAL, to reserve the parish hall please contact either Dot-tie Maguire (373-5075) or Cec Karhoff (373-5042) for date availability.

FACEBOOK Like us on Facebook: Search for st joseph catholic church anthon iowa.

COFFEE/MUFFINS St. Joseph's will be having coffee and muffins every third Wednesday after Mass. Everyone is invited!

SJC SANCTUARY LIGHT [OCTOBER 7-13]
burns for the *People of WFCC*.

Immaculate Conception Church - Moyville (Est. 1892)

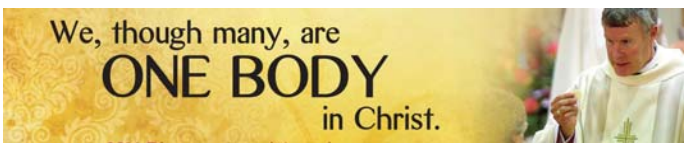
INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

Adult Envelopes	\$1,583.00 (38 Envelopes)
Youth Envelopes*	\$42.85 (8 Envelopes)
Loose	\$361.00
World Mission Sunday	\$5.00 (1 Envelope)
Total Income	\$1,991.85
Needed Each Week.....	\$3,407.96
Total Parish Expenses.....	\$3,882.17

BUDGET REPORT 2018-2019

Income needed by 30 June 2019:	\$177,213.76
Income needed each week:	\$3,407.96
Income received since 1 July 2018:	\$31,450.38
	10/5/2018

ICC SANCTUARY LIGHT [OCTOBER 7-13]
burns for the *People of WFCC*.



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2018	
\$ Goal:	\$12,000.00
\$ Pledged:	\$4,170.00
\$ Given:	\$3,640.00
Pledges Goal:	164
Participants:	36
Participant Rate:	22%

FROM THE DESK OF ANGIE DUFFY, DFF:

- **October 10-** Faith Formation for PK-4, 5-8, and CICC Class; Eucharistic Adoration at 4:00-4:20 p.m. and 7:50-8:20 p.m.
- **October 11-** Faith Formation Youth Ministry meeting at 7:00 p.m. IC parish library
- **October 17-** Faith Formation class for PK-4, 5-8, and CICC, if not attending Reboot
- **Reboot** at Nativity Church in Sioux City at 7:00 p.m.
- **October 21-** Pumpkin Carving at 5:00 p.m. with food being served from 6:00 -7:00 p.m. Costume contest begins at 7:00 p.m. Families are asked to bring a dessert to share with others. Pumpkins will be provided but if you prefer to bring your own you are more than welcome to. There will be a hayrack ride following the costume contest.
- **October 24-** Faith Formation PK-4, 5-8, and CICC Class
- **October 31** Faith Formation for PK-4 and 5-8. 4:00 p.m. students are invited to wear their costumes to class.

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6:30 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Epiphany in Sioux City, IA. All parents who have lost children due to miscarriages, ectopic pregnancies, abortion and other infant fatalities are invited to this mass. The purpose of the mass is to honor and recognize the life of the child. During this Mass, parents may honor their lost children by having his/her name read aloud and lighting a candle in his/her honor. Please register your name and your children's names online before October 8th. <https://scdiocese.org/memorial-mass-for-babies/>

TRINITY HEIGHTS On October 14, the Catholic Church will canonize Pope Paul VI in Rome. We are so fortunate to have had papal saints walk among us during our lifetime. Praise God! Celebrate the blessing of the life and legacy of Pope Paul VI at Trinity Heights. On October 13, Trinity Heights will host a day long seminar on the life, teachings and papacy of Pope Paul VI in the Marian Center at Queen of Peace. The seminar is presented by the Diocese of Sioux City, Office of Evangelization. Day begins at 9:00 a.m. The schedule for the day is attached. No registration is required, and there is no charge....come and go

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St. Michael Church - Kingsley (Est. 1888)

INCOME/EXPENSES LAST WEEK

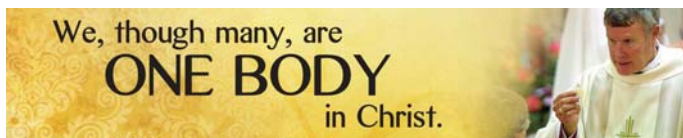
Adult Envelopes	\$2,583.00 (55 Envelopes)
Youth Envelopes*	\$57.00 (14 Envelopes)
Loose	\$691.45
Total Income	\$3,331.45
Needed Each Week	\$2,955.88
Total Expenses	\$1,915.58

BUDGET REPORT 2018-2019

Income needed by 30 June 2019:	\$153,705.85
Income needed each week:	\$2,955.88
Income received since 1 July 2018:	\$28,905.62
	10/5/2018

SMC SANCTUARY LIGHT [OCTOBER 7-13]

burns for the **People of WFCC.**



	2018
\$ Goal:	\$13,500.00
\$ Pledged:	\$4,505.00
\$ Given:	\$4,160.00
Pledges Goal:	183
Participants:	50
Participant Rate:	27.3%

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as you wish.

PILGRIMAGE TO SPAIN, LOURDES & FATIMA Come along November 5-15 to some of the most sacred places in all of Europe! We'll visit both of the great Shrines to Mary, Lourdes in Southern France and Fatima in Portugal, and many wonderful places in Spain! Mass each day in great Churches and Cathedrals along the way. Cost is \$3,249 with departure from Omaha. For a brochure and more information, contact Fr. Dan Guenther, St. Mary's Parish, 311 4th St. N., Humboldt, IA, call 515-332-2856 or email frdanguenther@gmail.com.

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

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS if you are wishing to put an announcement in the bulletin please email icmoville@wiatel.net or give information to Charlene for St. Joseph to be at WFCC parish office before 5:00 p.m. on the Thursday before the weekend.

ACH GIVING NOW AVAILABLE! For all of our Parishioners at West Fork Catholic Community is now offering an alternative to writing a weekly or monthly check. Join our Automated Giving Program and have your financial stewardship offering transferred directly to the parish account. Call the parish office for more information.

FAITH FORMATION DIOCESAN POLICY All students are required to participate in two years of formal preparation (religious education, faith formation) before the celebration of First Reconciliation, First Eucharist, and Confirmation.

CALLING ALL CRAFTERS!! Want to help put the fun in fundraising? Please come to the Guild meeting on Wednesday, October 10 at 7:00 in the Faith Formation Building for an evening of fun and crafting for a cause. Call/ Text Amy Benson with questions: 389-0218.

FREE two white painted old high chairs no longer usable for children. If you would like for a flower project, etc. contact Jan (Paul) Meister at 378-3202

FROM THE DESK OF BARB SITZMANN, DRE:

- All PS-12th grade FF students should have brought home a baby bottle. We will be collecting coins to be donated to Her Health. There is information on the bottles about this agency. If you have further questions, please let me know. Deadline to turn in the bottles and the money will be Wed. Oct. 10th.
- Students are collecting disposable diapers, baby wipes, toys, new or gently used clothes, shoes, socks, new smaller size boys and girls new underwear, baby and young children items for Mary's Choice and Her Health in Sioux City. High School students will be dropping items off on the evening of Wednesday, October 10th to Mary's Choice and Wed. Oct 24th to Her Health. Items may be dropped off at the FF Center on any Wednesday from 3-5pm or 7-8 pm until October 24th.
- Wed. October 10th- DEADLINE TO TURN IN HER HEALTH BABY BOTTLES FILLED WITH CHANGE. 10th, 11th, and 12th graders will be going to Mary's Choice in Sioux City. Students will need a permission slip and will be leaving the FF Center at 6:30 pm.
- Wed. October 17th- REBOOT EVENT IN SIOUX CITY for those that have previously bought a ticket. All those attending are to report to the FF Center by 6 pm with their tickets. If you are an 8-12th grader attending, you will also need a permission slip to attend. IF YOU ARE A 5-12TH GRADER NOT ATTENDING THIS EVENT, WE WILL STILL BE HAVING FF CLASSES AT 7 PM.
- Wed. October 24th-DEADLINE TO TURN IN GENTLY USED BABYCLOTHING AND ITEMS. 10th, 11th and 12th graders will be going to Her Health in Sioux City. Students will need a permission slip and will be leaving the FF Center at 6:30 pm.
- Wed. October 31st- WE WILL BE HAVING FF CLASSES AT 4 PM AND 7 PM.
- If anyone is interested in joining or has questions about joining the Catholic Church, please contact me on my cell phone. Jamie and I will be starting another RCIA class early 2019.
- Anyone needing to take Baptism classes before getting their child baptized, should contact me on my cell phone to begin the process.
- Contact info: St. Michael FF Center 378-2021, Barb's cell 712-251-8567 Emails- FF stmikedre@gmail.com, home barbsitzmann@yahoo.com.

NEEDED: Parishioners to take an active roll in keeping our church viable! So many more could take part in our Sunday Mass by greeting, ushering, carrying the gifts, reading, counting the offering, becoming a Eucharistic Minister, and more 4th graders and up serving. Middle and High schoolers can help in many if these roles. As a family you could greet or carry gifts. What a wonderful and gratifying way to serve our Lord and our St. Michael's family. Please help out by calling the church office or Lisa Langel at 540-7238 or 378-2934.

AMAZONSMILE - Support Immaculate Conception, St. Joseph or St. Michael when you shop at <http://smile.amazon.com>. Amazon donates a percentage of the sale to the church of your choice. Visit the cluster website under About\Support our Mission page for an easy link.

MASS OFFERINGS for West Fork Catholic Community Parishes will be scheduled and taken care of at the Movable Parish Office. If you have questions please contact the parish office at 712-873-3644.

BAPTISM is to be arranged with the parish office. Please contact the office to schedule the Baptism and see if you need to take the Baptism Class.

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!**



MINISTERS' ASSIGNMENTS

St. Joseph-Anthon

SATURDAY OCTOBER 13 5:00 P.M.

Altar Servers: Weston Beeson, Olivia Beeson
Reader(s): Linda Dixon
Organist: Kathy Clarkson
Guitarist: Jim Rusch
Gifts: Katie Edwards Family
Communion: Skip Welte, Donna Cunningham, Lori Berning
Rosary Leaders: Lori Berning

Immaculate Conception-Moville

SUNDAY OCTOBER 14 8:30 A.M.

Altar Servers: Ben Havlicek, Mary Putze, Sarah Nelson
Reader(s): Melissa Nelson
Cantor: Del Mandl
Organist: Laura Krajicek
Gifts: Elaine Ketelsen, Judy King
Communion: Eric Nelson, Carol Nelson, Volunteer
Greeters: Volunteers
Ushers: Sean Glackin, Doug Glackin
Collection Counters: JoAnne Jenness, Pam Cooper

St. Michael-Kingsley

SUNDAY OCTOBER 14 10:00 A.M.

Altar Servers: Wyatt Klaschen, Carson Seuntjens, Emy Benson
Reader(s): Kylie Beelner, Karen Malm
Cantor: Angie Haggin
Organist: Jolene Spooner
Gifts: Adam Schroeder Family
Communion: Jan Meister, Jeanine Haggin, Marie McClure
KNH: Alice Seuntjens
Greeters: Marie Benedix, Sonya Hamman
Ushers: Jon Neumann, Matt Beelner
Collection Counters: Shelly Krieg, Barb Sitzmann

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Clarice Bainbridge, Leonard Beaver, Juanita Beaubien, Tom/Donna Clark, Rick Crilly, Pauline Dugan, Kara Funk, Mary Grasso, Charlotte Honkomp, Virginia & Walt Kabisch, Millie Kisting, Harold Kloewer, Patricia McConnell, Beverly Petekavich, Vera Pierick, Hayden Pippot, Patricia Rogers, Jim Roger, Judy Schroeder, Sylvesta Slota, Roy Soule, Harlan/Fairy Steffe, Marcella Thomas, Jeune Vondrak, Gerry Weinriech, Emmet Woltman, and the men and women serving in the military and police.

WEST FORK CATHOLIC COMMUNITY INFORMATION

ADMINISTRATOR/PASTOR: Msgr. Mark Duchaine 712-898-1894
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Custodian-Church & Rectory: Consetia Carley
Maintenance: Bob Weatherly

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH HALL: 712-373-5696
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FAITH FORMATION CENTER: 712-378-2021
Director of Faith Formation: Barbara Sitzmann cell: 712-251-8567
Email: stmikedre@gmail.com
Custodian-Church: Jan Meister / **Assistant Custodian-Church:** Jolene Spooner / **Custodian-FF Center:** Sonya Hamman
Groundskeeper: Mike DeJong

WFCC [MOVILLE] OFFICE HOURS:
Mon.—Fri. 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., 1:30-5:00 p.m.
 Other times by appointment

IMPORTANT DATES

- October 16, 6:30 p.m.: REBOOT [Nativity]
- October 19, 10:00 a.m.: Eucharist [CSC]
- October 20-21: World Mission Sunday Collection
- October 21, 9:30 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (Guild) [M]
- October 21, 11:00 a.m.: Baptism (Goeden) [K]
- October 21, 12:00 p.m.: Hall Rental (Goeden) [K]
- October 21, 5:00-8:30 p.m.: WFCC Pumpkin Carving [M]
- October 24, 7:00 p.m.: CICC [M]
- October 28, 9:30 a.m.: Full Breakfast (KC8232) [M]
- October 31, 4:00 p.m.: Eucharist [A]
- October 31, 5:30 p.m.: Eucharist [M]
- November 1: OFFICES CLOSED
- November 1, 8:00 a.m.: Eucharist [K]
- November 2, 10:00 a.m.: Eucharist [KNH]
- November 3-4: St. Joseph's Education Fund Collection
- November 4, 9:30 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (Guild) [M]
- November 4, 9:30 a.m.: ICC Guild Meeting [M]
- November 7, 6:00 p.m.: CDA Meeting [A]
- November 9, 11:00 a.m.: Eucharist [CharMac]
- November 10, 5:00 p.m.: Youth Mass [A]
- November 11, 9:30 a.m.: Coffee/Juice/Rolls (KC8232) [M]
- November 11, 10:00 a.m.: Youth Mass [K]
- November 13, 7:00 p.m.: KC8232 Meeting [M]
- November 14, 7:00 p.m.: CICC [M]
- November 15, 6:30 p.m.: WFCC Liturgy Team Meeting [M]
- November 16, 10:00 a.m.: Eucharist [CSC]
- November 18, 8:30 a.m.: Youth Mass [M]
- November 20, 6:30 p.m.: ICC Pastoral/Finance Council Meeting [M]
- November 22: OFFICES CLOSED
- November 23: OFFICES CLOSED
- November 24-25: Catholic Campaign for Human Development Collection
- November 27, 6:30 p.m.: SJC Parish/Finance Council Meeting [A]
- December 4, 6:30 p.m.: SMC Parish/Finance Council Meeting [K]
- December 5, 4:00/7:00 p.m.: Reconciliation [K]