


Liturgical Ministers March 5 - March 6

	Holy Name		St. Peter	Immaculate Conception		St. Francis
	Saturday 5 pm	Sunday 10:00 am	Sunday 8:30 am	Saturday 5:05 pm	Sunday 8:30 am	Sunday 10:30 am
<b>Lector</b>	Tom Grapes	John Baldwin	Bob Kleve	Dave Teeling	Kelly Egan	Mike Carey
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Karleen Baumler Kathy Wenthold Ken Scholbrock	John Baldwin Ron Bodensteiner Barb Heins	Joanie Goddard Georgia Klein Jerry Kelly	Margaret Teeling Connie Rochford Joel Meyer	Pat Duffy Holly Schemmel Lon Tisue	Elaine Reicks Ruth Keppler Steve Knoploh Kurt Wood
<b>Gifts</b>	Scott O'Hare Family	Mike & Barb Heins	Laverne & Lee Imoehl	Dan Schmitt	Kate Swehla	Gary & Janice Brownell
<b>Ushers</b>	Mike Elsbernd Scott O'Hare	Leon Soppe Ron Schute	Dale Imoehl Gary Lehmann	Tom Miller Dave & Margaret Teeling	Jim Duffy Lon & Barb Tisue	Denice Fink Rick Fink Ray Gavin Bonnie West
<b>Greeters</b>	Ken & Christi Scholbrock	Mike & Judy Roach	Dale Imoehl	Joel Meyer	Ralph Schultz	
<b>Servers</b>	Breanna Baumler James Baumler	Brandy Langreck Cody Baumler	Payten & Ryn Lehmann	Jordan Miller Elizabeth Miller Natalie Miller	Grant Trainor Paige Trainor Bennett Christensen	Lauren Fink Brandon Cushion
<b>Money Counters</b>	Pam Shores Tom Grapes	Ron Bodensteiner Leon Soppe	Bruce & Sharon Kleve		Nancy Meyer Theresa Schultz	Sue Frey Ray Gavin

 **Please remember in your Masses and prayers people from our cluster who are sick or ailing, we pray that all will have firm faith and improved health:**

**From Immaculate Conception:** Juliana Blaylock, Edna Fay, Mardell Hay, Michelle Heidemann, Lori Kohlmeyer, Margaret Kuethe, Terri Kuethe, Noreen Miller, Peggy Pagel, Don & Pauline Rader, Fr. Jude Rochford OFM, Rhonda Rochford, Rita Schmitz, and Jonathan Wirkler.

**From St. Francis of Assisi:** Urban Berkes, Olivia Everett, John Kelly, Rita Manderfield, and Joanne Ries.

**From Holy Name:** Michael Baumler, Hayden Grimm, Jill Krambeer, Gerald Kramer, Eileen Lahey, Kathy Langreck, Pat Loomer, Jessica McDanel, Roger Michael, Marilyn Miller, Raelonna Patrick, Elaine Reuter, Betty Scott, Leona Streif, Sue Ungerer, Carl Wagner Jr., and Linda Walz.

**From St. Peter:** Michelle Bridge, Elizabeth Goddard, Richard Klein, Ellen Kneeland, Rosemary Lehmann, Julia Martin, Jonathan Oakland, Carla Rear and Ken Wagner, Jr.

**Rest in Peace:** We pray for those in our parishes who have died and for our families who have lost loved ones.

Happenings Around Our Area

**Voting for the Common Good** Protection of Life, Immigration, Death Penalty, Sanctity of marriage between a man and women, environmental policies! These are current hot political topics, and all of them have a connection to the Church's vision of the Common Good. What is the Common Good? Join Dr. David Cochran and Tom Chapman on February 28 or March 2 as they present Catholicism's vision of the Common Good, its connection to current political topics, and how you can live your faith by advocating for Catholic principles within legislation and through your vote. We welcome Tom Chapman, Director of the Iowa Catholic Conference on Sunday February 28 from 12 - 2:15 pm, and Dr. David Cochran, political science professor and chair of the Archbishop Kucera Center for Catholic Studies at Loras College, on Wednesday March 2, 5:45 - 8:00 pm. Both sessions are at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel in Lawler as part of our next Generations of Faith sessions. Please note, both presenters are here to educate voters and answer questions about church teachings, they will not endorse or demonize any political party, nor candidate.

# February 28, 2016 Third Sunday of Lent

St. Joseph the Worker Cluster - The Catholic parishes of Immaculate Conception, Sumner, St. Francis of Assisi, Fayette, Holy Name, West Union, and St. Peter, Clermont.

**MISSION STATEMENT: Celebrating parish identity as we work to become one family of God and strive to serve in the name of Christ.**

**Masses & Intentions**

**2/29/15 - Monday**  
**9:00 am, HN**  
Helen Deeny

**7:30 am, IC**  
Word & Communion

**3/1/15 - Tuesday**  
**7:30 am, IC**  
**No Word & Communion**

**9:00 am, HN,**  
**No Mass**

**3/2/15- Wednesday**  
**8:00 am, SF**  
Berkes Family

**3/3/15 - Thursday**  
**7:00 pm, SP**  
Laverne Bouska (RS)

**3/4/15 - Friday**  
**7:30 am, IC**  
Fr. Allen Schmitt

**9:00 am, HN**  
Janice Underdahl

**3/5/15 - Saturday**  
**7:30 am, IC**  
Jim Rochford

**5:00 pm, HN**  
Andrew Moors

**5:05 pm, IC**  
Denny Bumgardner

**3/6/15 - Sunday**  
**8:30 am, SP**  
Jim Massman

**8:30 am, IC**  
Marcella Smith

**10:00 am, HN**  
For the People

**10:30 am, SFA**  
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<http://stjosephtheworkercluster.com/>

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**Rectory & Church Office:**  
1-888-578-5366 or 563-578-5366

**Sacramental Priest: Fr. Dale Rausch,**  
563-422-3184 & 1-800-469-3184

**All bulletin information directed to:**  
**[dbq195sec@dbqarch.org](mailto:dbq195sec@dbqarch.org) by 5 pm Tuesday evening**

**Saturday and Sunday Mass & Reconciliation Times**

**MASS TIMES on Saturdays:**  
7:30 am, Immaculate Conception, Sumner  
5:00 pm, Holy Name, West Union / Confession 4:00 - 4:45 pm  
5:05 pm, Immaculate Conception, Sumner / Confession 4:20 - 4:45 pm

**MASS TIMES on Sundays:**  
8:30 am, Immaculate Conception, Sumner / Confession 8:00 - 8:20 am  
8:30 am, Saint Peter, Clermont  
10:00 am, Holy Name, West Union  
10:30 am, St. Francis of Assisi, Fayette / Confession 10:10 - 10:25 am

**St. Peter, Clermont:**

Bookkeeper/Secretary:  
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**Immaculate Conception, Sumner:**

Office Hours 2 to 6 pm Mon. & Tues.  
8 am to 12 pm Fri.  
Parish Office: 563-578-5366  
Bookkeeper/Secretary: Cindy Jacob  
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Faith Formation Office, 563-578-8227  
Faith Formation Program Manager:  
Pam Schmitt: [dbq195ff@dbqarch.org](mailto:dbq195ff@dbqarch.org)

**St. Francis of Assisi, Fayette:**

Bookkeeper: Delores Fagle Thom  
563-425-4410 & [delores@iowatelecom.net](mailto:delores@iowatelecom.net)  
Faith Formation Office, 563-425-3228  
CRE, Holly Streeter,  
563-425-5340 & 563-419-4661

**Holy Name, West Union:**

Office Hours 8 am to 11 am Mon - Thurs  
Parish Office, 563-422-3184  
Bookkeeper/Secretary: Kathy Wenthold  
[dbq220bk@dbqarch.org](mailto:dbq220bk@dbqarch.org)  
Faith Formation Office, 563-422-5722  
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Pam Rochford: [dbq220re@dbqarch.org](mailto:dbq220re@dbqarch.org)  
Jamie Hoey: [dbq220ff@dbqarch.org](mailto:dbq220ff@dbqarch.org)

## Holy Name, West Union

**Tuesday, March 1,** CDA Meeting - 1:15 pm Rosary followed by meeting at 1:30 pm. Hostess will be the Family Committee chaired by Florence Johnson. Agenda will be: Nominating Committee, Quilt Day, Dessert Night Cancelled for 2016.

**Attention:** The Finance Council Minutes did not reflect the generous donation of quilts that were donated by CDA to each family from the giving tree 2015. Thank you to the CDA for their generous donation!!

**Wednesday, March 9,** Stations of the Cross will be presented for Faith Formation students and Holy Name parish members at 7:30 pm. Everyone is invited to attend.

**Stations of the Cross** will be said after daily Mass every Friday throughout Lent.

**A sign up sheet** has been placed in the back of the church for ministries during Holy Week. All regular ministries will be needed along with individuals willing to have their feet washed on Holy Thursday. Please sign-up no later than Sunday, March 13th. Thank you for your continued service!

**Friday, March 11,** Annual KC Fish Fry held at the Parish Center. Mark your calendar!!

**"Project Giving Hope"** March is Paper Month. Suggested items are: Paper towels, napkins, kleenex, bath tissue, etc.

Sacrificial Giving 2/21/16 Total: \$1,879.95

Adult Envelopes	1,322.00
Youth Envelopes	14.00
Offertory	134.95
Bldg. & Repair	200.00
Poor & Needy	39.00
Food Shelf	10.00
Rent	150.00

### **Our Lady of Seven Dolores (Festina) Cod Fish Fry**

Friday, March 4th  
Serving 4:30 pm - 8:00 pm  
Tickets \$9 in advance or \$10 at the door.  
Children 5 & Under Free.

### **Boy Scouts Soup Supper All You Can Eat Chili & Chicken Noodle**

Sunday, March 13th  
Holy Name Parish  
Serving 4:30 pm - 7:30 pm  
Tickets available at the door or from any Boy Scout.

## St. Peter, Clermont

**Wednesday, March 16,** Adoration 7:30 pm.

**St. Peter's Parish Spiritual Adoption Program** - The youth of St. Peter's parish pray daily for the baby that they have personally spiritually adopted. We have monthly pro-life prayer services. On Wednesday, April 20th we will conclude our program with a "Baby Shower". We will have a guest speaker, treats and we will pack layettes for the babies. We invite everyone to join us at our "Baby Shower" on April 20th. We invite you to collect items for our layette drive. But most importantly we ask you to join us in prayer to end abortion. There is additional information located in the church entry.

Sacrificial Giving 2/21/16 Total: \$1,553.86

Adult Envelopes	1,496.00
Youth	13.00
Offertory	44.86
Painting Project as to date	10,095.00

### **Pope's Intentions for March**

#### **Universal: Families in Difficulty**

That families in need may receive the necessary support and that children may grow up in healthy and peaceful environments.

#### **Evangelization: Persecuted Christians**

That those Christians who, on account of their faith, are discriminated against or are being persecuted, may remain strong and faithful to the Gospel, thanks to the incessant prayer of the Church.



### **Lenten Valley Ecumenical Services**

- 3/2 Elgin St. Paul's UMC:  
Korean Dinner 5:00 - 6:30 pm Worship - 7:00 pm
- 3/9 Clermont Catholic Church, 7:00 pm
- 3/16 Clermont Episcopal Church, 7:00 pm

### **CCC Benefit Brunch**

Sunday, February 28, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

#### **Clermont Opera House**

Menu: Egg Bakes, Biscuits & Gravy, Cinnamon Rolls, Fruit & Drinks

Suggested Donation: Adults \$9.00, Child \$5.00

There will be a Raffle.

Proceeds will go to support the Miss Clermont Scholarship Fund & the Annual Clermont Children's Easter Egg Hunt. Event sponsored by the Clermont Community Club.

## Immaculate Conception, Sumner

**Thanks to all** of the excellent volunteers who helped make our annual Fish Fry another great success. We served 410, 98 of those being carry-outs.

**Sealed bids will be taken** for the following items: 24 ft. x 24 ft. Garage, York 95,000 BTU Natural Gas Furnace with AC, Rheem 15 Gallon Electric Water Heater, 100 AMP Square D Breaker Box & Wood/Woodwork Trim. For more information contact Mike Joebgen @ 319-269-5886. Bids must be in by March 1st at 5:00 pm. Send to: IC Church, 413 West First Street, Sumner. Please mark "Bid" on the outside of the envelope.

**Did you know ....** that our parish continues to furnish a meal for Fr. Jim each Tuesday? You could take your turn! This is just for one meal, one time. Maybe this is something special you could do during Lent! Please contact Nancy Meyer at 563-578-8402 if you are willing to provide a meal.

**Mass Servers:** If you are not able to serve at Mass when you are scheduled it is your responsibility to find a responsible replacement.

**"His Hands Food Pantry"** March is Condiments Month. Suggested items are: Ketchup, mustard, honey, mayo, pickles, etc. For the month of January the Food Pantry served 68 families, 177 individuals, with 4,378 pounds of food being distributed.

Sacrificial Giving 2/21/16 Total: \$920.00

Adult Envelopes	737.00
Youth Envelopes	11.00
Offertory	77.00
Fish Fry Donation	75.00
Catholic Charities	20.00

### **Sumner Ministerial Association Waffle Dinner**

Tuesday, March 8th, 4:30 pm - 7:00 pm  
Sumner American Legion

### **Peace UCC Annual Spuds & More**

Saturday, March 5, 2016 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm  
Fredericksburg Community Center  
Potatoes & All the fixins, & Salad Bar, PLUS great desserts. Tickets are: Adults \$8 in advance \$8.50 at the door, Children 5 - 12, \$5, and Under 5 Free.

**Crisis Pregnancy Center - # 1-800-395-HELP**

and Iowa website: [www.heartbeatinternational.org](http://www.heartbeatinternational.org)

## St. Francis of Assisi, Fayette

**St. Francis Prayer Chain:** If you wish to be a recipient or prayer partner please contact Anne Seller at 563-425-4116 or Pat Burghardt at 563-578-8258 or email dsellers@iowatelecom.net

**"Sharing Gifts from God."** March is Paper Month. Suggested items are: Paper towels, napkins, kleenex, bath tissue, etc.

Sacrificial Giving 2/21/16 Total: \$947.31

Adult Envelopes	847.00
Youth Envelopes	5.00
Offertory	95.31

### **Stewardship Quote**

The parable in today's Gospel clearly warns that we, like the fig tree, will be judged by our fruit. While God mercifully provides us with time and opportunity, let us give witness to our faith with deeds of kindness and generosity!

### **Cluster Announcements**

**Sunday, February 28,** St. Joseph the Worker Cluster 2016 Lenten Mission, 2:00 pm, hosted by Holy Name, West Union. The Agnus Dei Ministry will present: "A Musical Journey With Christ" where they share the story of the life of Jesus through inspirational music and narration with an emphasis on the Passion. Anyone who attends will leave feeling very energized and spiritually renewed. Everyone in the Cluster is invited and bring a friend! No Admission Charge. Mark your calendars!! [www.AgnusDeiMinistry.org](http://www.AgnusDeiMinistry.org) A Reception & Religious Goods Sale will follow at the Parish Center.

**Thursday, March 3,** Cluster Liturgy Committee Meeting, 7:00 pm at St. Francis, Fayette.

**Tuesday, March 10,** Cluster Faith Formation Council Meeting, 7:00 pm at St. Francis, Fayette.

**Thursday, March 17,** Cluster Social Justice Meeting, 7:00 pm, St. Francis, Fayette.

### **Fayette Fireman's Annual Spaghetti Supper**

Saturday, March 12th  
Fayette Fire Station  
5:00 - 7:30 pm  
Free will donation

**Attend Mass while on vacation:** Learn Mass times across the United States. Visit [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) or by calling 1-305-598-7490 to speak to a live operator, available Tue., Thurs., Sat., 12:00 - 4:00 PM.