

**FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~ JULY 9, 2017**

**ST. JOHN**

**OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL**

**ST. BERNARD**

*Father Kevin Richter, Pastor ~ Father Mark Stoll, Parochial Vicar PH: 712-673-2351 after 4 p.m.*

*Fr. Richard Remmes, PH: 712-790-6888; Deacon: Rev. Mr. Greg Sampson*

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*Website: [ChristTheKingCatholicCommunity.org](http://ChristTheKingCatholicCommunity.org)*

Monday	July 10	8:00 a.m.-At SJ	Art & Marjorie Gerken+
Tuesday	July 11	8:00 a.m.-At SJ	Rita & Bob Sundrup+
		<b>8:00 a.m.-At SB</b>	<b>Ruth Ann Stark+</b>
		<b>10:00 a.m.-At Regency Park</b>	<b>Rev. Gerald Wingert+</b>
Wednesday	July 12	8:00 a.m.-At SJ	Bud & Bernice Steinkamp+
		<b>8:00 a.m.-At OLMC</b>	<b>Duane Schrad+</b>
Thursday	July 13	8:00 a.m.-At SJ	Don Diers+
		<b>8:00 a.m.-At SB</b>	<b>Bette Snyder+</b>
Friday	July 14	8:00 a.m.-At SJ	Marvin Hoffmann+
		<b>8:00 a.m.-At OLMC</b>	<b>Herb &amp; Lynette Ludwig+</b>
Saturday	July 15	<b>5:30 p.m.-At SJ</b>	<b>Elmer "Porky" Schmitz+</b>
Sunday	July 16	<b>8:00 a.m.-At OLMC</b>	<b>PARISHIONERS, Julian Julich+</b>
		<b>10:00 a.m.-At SB</b>	<b>Ray Tiefenthaler+, Virgil &amp; Betty Neumayer+</b>

**THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:** *St. Bernard's* – Sunday's 9:30- 9:45am. and by appointment

*St. John's* – Saturday's 5:00-5:15 p.m. and by appointment, *Our Lady of Mt. Carmel* – Sunday's 7:30-7:45 a.m. and by appointment

**PRESIDER:** Fr. Kevin Richter

	<u>St. John</u>	<u>Our Lady of Mt. Carmel</u>	<u>St. Bernard</u>
<b>Eucharistic Ministers:</b>	Ed Vogl (HB) Deacon Greg, Rita Bruch	Deacon Greg Joe Lenaghan, Annette Haberl	Deacon Greg, Dale Tiefenthaler Mary Thatcher Leonard Grote (HB)
<b>Ushers/Greeters Gift Bearers:</b>	Bob & Julie Steinakmp	Marvin Huegerich, Kevin Tigges, Dave Wittry Dennis & Lori Loneman Family	John Mueggenberg, Don Rowe Rich Mueggenberg Leonard & Jean Grote (M) Dale & Arlene Mueggenberg (S) Chuck & Mary Thatcher (GB)
<b>Servers:</b>	Brianna, Brett & Blake Lux	Collin Wiederin, Joshua Tigges Colby Pudenz	Jordan & Kendra Stork Claire Snyder
<b>Readers:</b>	Shirley Tomka	Allan Pudenz	Alvin Mueggenberg
<b>Rosary Leaders:</b>	Mary Theresa Hoffmann	Wayne & Angie Tigges	Joanell Koster
<b>Money Counters:</b>	Stephanie Hansen Pat Vogl	Dennis & Connie Ludwig Allan & Nancy Pudenz	Dan Nieland Gene Nieland

<b>Finances for Week of July 1/2</b>			
<u>St. John</u>		<u>Our Lady of Mt. Carmel</u>	<u>St. Bernard</u>
Church Support-Adult	\$ 1,049.00	Church Support-Adult	\$ 1,120.00
Church Support-Child	\$ 1.00	Church Support-Child	\$ 1.00
Loose Offering	\$ 386.00	Loose Offering	\$ 92.00
Bazaar Fund I	\$ 50.00	Candle Money	\$ 50.00
Peter Pence	\$ 5.00	Men's/Women's Club	\$ 100.00
Improvement Fund	\$ 2.00		
Candle Money	\$ 148.05		
Budgeted Mo. Giving	\$15,350.00	Budgeted Mo. Giving	\$15,000.00
Income this month	\$ 1,636.05	Income this month	\$ 1,337.00
Expenses for the Week	\$ 1,624.87	Expenses for the Week	\$ 734.71
Expenses for the Month	\$ 1,624.87	Expenses for the Month	\$ 734.71
		Church Support-Adult	\$ 785.00
		Church Support-Child	\$ 0.00
		Loose Offering	\$ 2,031.15
		Candle Money	\$ 9.32
		Peter's Pence	\$ 11.00
		Other Income	\$ 15.00
		Budgeted Mo. Giving	\$20,000.00
		Income this month	\$ 2,840.47
		Expenses for the Week	\$ 3,589.37
		Expenses for the Month	\$ 3,589.37

**FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR:** I am very grateful for the gracious hospitality that has been extended by so many of you as the team of priests has begun ministry to the parishes of Carroll County. People have been very welcoming and accommodating – we really do appreciate that! As we meet so many of you, continue to remind us of your names!

Sacrament of Reconciliation – As the priests have visited about our rotation through the parishes, we have realized that the practice for offering Reconciliation/Confessions has varied significantly from parish to parish. In order to bring consistency (so that we don't always have to try to remember what is happening in each separate parish), we will begin immediately to offer Reconciliation/Confession 30 minutes before each of the weekend masses in each of the sites. (This replaces whatever the current practice has been in each site). Of course, the sacrament is also always available with any priest by appointment.

This week, we continue giving each priest on the team an opportunity to give a little background about himself:

**Father Timothy Schott bio:** I grew up on a farm & belonged to Sacred Heart Parish in Early. I graduated from Loras College, Collegium Canisianum in Innsbruck, Austria (MA Theology), University of Notre Dame (MA Liturgy), & University of Saint Thomas/Saint Paul Seminary (PhD in ministry). I taught at Kuemper High School (1977-85), was part of the diocesan RENEW team (1985-89), & served in various parishes (1970-2015) before retiring. Since 2015 I have served as Senior Priest & part-time parochial vicar at Carroll Holy Spirit & Willey Saint Mary parishes. Presiding, preparing & preaching a Sunday homily has been a mainstay of my spiritual life for 47 years. I am grateful for the opportunity to continue this. I am an avid reader. I enjoy music, traveling, & art galleries. I have spent more than half of my ministry in Carroll County & am committed to strengthening Catholic life here.

--Fr. Kevin Richter

**FROM THE DESK OF THE Regional PAROCHIAL VICAR: Thank you to everyone who contributed to the annual PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION last weekend.**

**This weekend we welcome Fr. Brian Feller as president. Fr. Feller was ordained in 2015 and has been assigned to St. Lawrence-Carroll and Chaplain at Kuemper Catholic School. This weekend I will be attending the parishes at Halbur, Roselle, and Templeton and our pastor, Fr. Kevin Richter, is presiding at the Masses at St. Lawrence. On the 2nd, 4th, and 5th Tuesdays, in addition to the 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Bernard, I will also presiding at the 10:00 a.m. Mass at Regency Park Nursing & Rehabilitation Center in Carroll. If you have any questions, pastoral needs, etc., please contact me at the office in Breda.**

**Please remember your parish in your will.....Your bequest is a testimony to your faith in our future. —Fr. Mark**

**For All Parishes:**

- **CATHOLICISM: THE PIVOTAL PLAYERS** will help us discover the figures who shaped the Church and changed the world. In each session, we watch a DVD presentation by Bishop Robert Barron as he discusses one of the six people he believes has left an imprint on the work of the Church over the Centuries. We will continue our series of faith formation sessions on Sunday evening, July 9, 6:30 p.m. with Michelangelo: The Artist, Part II in the Family Ministry room in the St. Bernard school building. There is no fee. Please join us even if you missed previous sessions.
- **DYNAMIC CATHOLIC PARISH CHAMPION PROGRAM** provides us each month with free copies of books, CDs, or other materials from Dynamic Catholic [Matthew Kelly]. Free this month in church entrances is Matthew Kelly's CD "Becoming the Best Version of Yourself". Free to listen, be inspired, and share!
- **PERSONS WISHING TO JOIN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH**, whether baptized in another faith or unbaptized and over the age of seven [7], may contact the pastor at any time of the year to begin the process known as RCIA [Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults]/RCIC [Rite of Christian Initiation of Children].
- **JOB OPENING:** Parish Bookkeeper/Secretary PART-TIME to complete all financial transactions for St. Bernard and Our Lady of Mount Carmel parishes in a timely and efficient manner and to perform secretarial and clerical support duties for the Pastor (and staff), i.e., typing, filing, mailing, recording data, and scheduling appointments to provide for the efficient operations of the office and enhancement of staff effectiveness. For more information and/or to apply contact Fr. Mark Stoll at 712-673-2582. Application available on the parish website, <http://christthekingcatholiccommunity.org> or at the parish office, 306 N 2nd St, Breda, Iowa.
- **PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA, LOURDES & THE HIGHLIGHTS OF SPAIN:** November 3-13, 2017 hosted by veteran pilgrimage leader Fr. John Vakulskas Jr. \$3,189 (Chicago), \$3,289 (Omaha), includes R/T Air, First Class Hotels, daily tours and transfers, most meals, Daily Mass and more. For more information contact Fr. John Vakulskas Jr., P.O. Box 347, Okoboji, IA 51355, [johnvakulskas@gmail.com](mailto:johnvakulskas@gmail.com), 712-490-8047.

**St. John: Parish Office, Julie Eich, 712-689-2595, Hours: Mon. & Fri. 7:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.**

- **WELCOME TO OUR PARISH FAMILY** Turner Gale Schroeder, daughter of Justin & Amy Schroeder, who was baptized this past weekend.
- **THE PARISH COUNCIL** will meet on Tuesday, July 11<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. in the Parish Hall.
- **ST. JOHN'S PARISH GUILD** will have a **Special Meeting on Wednesday, July 12<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. in the Parish Hall** to discuss and vote on options in which to spend our extra money that was donated by the Guild for lighting for the parish grounds in October of 2016.

**Our Lady of Mt. Carmel: Parish Office, 712-673-2582, Hours: Tues. - Fri. 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.**

- **ANNUAL PARISH GRILL OUT** will be Sunday, July 9. We will begin the evening with a rosary to begin the Novena to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel at 4:30 p.m. The Parish is providing lemonade, coffee and what is sure to be the best grilled burgers from the finest grill masters of the parish. Bring a salad or dessert to share as well as any other beverages you may want. Join us for a fun evening of prayer, food, ballgames, beanbags, cards, and fellowship. Bring your ideas, thoughts and experience on our upcoming 150th anniversary celebration to the parish picnic. It will not be long before we need to begin planning and meeting for this momentous occasion.
- **THE NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL** will begin on Sunday, July 9th with the praying of the Rosary at 4:30 p.m., before the grill out. Monday – Saturday the Rosary will be prayed at the stone chapel (weather permitting) at 7:00 p.m. Should it be raining the rosary will be moved inside to the church. The Rosary prayed before Mass on Sunday July 16th, the feast day of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, conclude the Novena.
- **"BAZAAR COLLECTION"** will be taken as the second collection on Sunday, July 16th with the hopes to bring back this annual giving that seemed to have faded away. However, this year more than ever we could use the additional parish support to remain a strong viable parish community.

**St. Bernard: Parish Office, 712-673-2582, Hours: Tues. - Fri. 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.**

- **THE ST. BERNARD ANNUAL GOLF OUTING AND TOURNAMENT** will be JULY 16, not July 9 as listed on a previously mailed out schedule to parishioners. This date has been confirmed with the Breda Golf Course & the St. Bernard Golf Outing Comm. Please join us July 16.

*God Bless You*