

ASCENSION SUNDAY ~ MAY 13, 2018

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

St. Bernard/OLMC stbernard@westianet.net, PH: 712-673-2582 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Website: ChristTheKingCatholicCommunity.org

Monday	May 14	8:00 a.m.-At SJ	Charlotte Schweers+
Tuesday	May 15	8:00 a.m.-At SJ	Robert Sundrup+
		8:00 a.m.-At SB	Bette Snyder+
Wednesday	May 16	8:00 a.m.-At SJ	Margaret Schroeder+
		8:00 a.m.-At OLMC	Morning Prayer
		8:25 a.m.-At KCS-HS	Fr. Cecil Friedmann+
Thursday	May 17	8:00 a.m.-At SJ	Carolyn Badding+
		8:00 a.m.-At SB	Thank you from Romaine Wittry Family
Friday	May 18	8:00 a.m.-At SJ	Bill Berg+
		8:00 a.m.-At OLMC	Anton Huegerich Family
Saturday	May 19	5:30 p.m.-At SJ	Alfred/Evelyn Wiederhold+
Sunday	May 20	8:00 a.m.-At OLMC	Irma Grote+
		10:00 a.m.-At SB	Bette Snyder+

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: *St. Bernard's* – Sunday's 9:30- 9:45a.m. 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. John Gerald

	<u>St. John</u>	<u>Our Lady of Mt. Carmel</u>	<u>St. Bernard</u>
Eucharistic Ministers:	Pat Vogl (HB) Deacon Greg, Kris Collison	Deacon Greg Arlene Wittrock, Marlene Wittrock	Deacon Greg, Chris Koster Jean Grote Chuck Thatcher (HB)
Ushers/Greeters Gift Bearers:	Kraig & Renee Lux	Dave Wittry, Wayne Bruening, Ed Haberl Jason & Deb Clausen Family	Kenny Steinkamp, Gene Weber John Mueggenberg Leonard & Jean Grote (M) Gene & Becky Nieland (S) Dale/Arlene Mueggenberg (GB)
Servers:	Cole Collison Ryan & Kyle Sundrup	Isaac Evans, Carter Pudenz Ben Schmitz	Owen Masching, Tyler Leise Cole Uhlenkamp
Readers:	Sheila Dentlinger	Jason Clausen	Linda Steinkamp
Rosary Leaders:	Jerome & Norma Henkenius	Marvin & Betty Huegerich	Bob & Dorothy Heisterkamp
Money Counters:	Stephanie Hansen Pat Vogl	Brian & Joan Hoffman Ed & Annette Haberl	Connie Weber Dale & Arlene Mueggenberg

Finances for Week of May 6

<u>St. John</u>		<u>Our Lady of Mt. Carmel</u>		<u>St. Bernard</u>	
Church Support-Adult	\$ 1,096.00	Church Support-Adult	\$ 1,190.00	Church Support-Adult	\$ 5,190.00
Church Support-Child	\$ 0.00	Church Support-Child	\$ 30.00	Church Support-Child	\$ 1.50
Loose Offering	\$ 37.00	Loose Offering	\$ 109.76	Loose Offering	\$ 85.00
Catholic Daughters	\$ 73.00	Candle Money	\$ 20.00	Candle Money	\$ 18.00
		Parish Center [rentals]	\$ 400.00	Guild	\$ 270.00
		Catholic Daughters	\$ 96.00	Rental	\$ 100.00
				Other Income	\$ 1,526.61
Budgeted Mo. Giving	\$20,040.00	Budgeted Mo. Giving	\$17,015.00	Catholic Daughters	\$ 127.12
Income this month	\$ 1,206.00	Income this month	\$ 1,749.76	Budgeted Mo. Giving	\$28,502.00
Expenses for the Week	\$ 1,522.33	Expenses for the Week	\$ 1,402.97	Income this month	\$ 5,294.50
Expenses for the Month	\$ 1,522.33	Expenses for the Month	\$ 1,402.97	Expenses for the Week	\$ 5,680.21
				Expenses for the Month	\$ 5,680.21

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK: On Monday of this past week, the priests and deacons of the Diocese of Sioux City gathered in Storm Lake to celebrate the significant anniversaries of priestly and diaconate ordinations. As we celebrated, I was very aware of the number of priests and deacons with Carroll connections who were celebrating. I encourage you to send a card of congratulations to the following:

- Fr. Tim Johnson, 25th Anniversary (St. Joseph Church, 1305 Okoboji Avenue, Milford, IA, 51351)
- Deacon Ed Miller, 35th Anniversary – We also note that Deacon Ed and wife Penny are leaving Carroll to move to Indianola. Our thoughts and prayers go with them! (520 Southgate Road, Carroll, IA 51401)
- Deacon Tim Murphy, 20 years (1212 N. Grant Road, Carroll, IA 51401)
- Deacon Louis Meiners, 15 years (PO Box 37, Dedham, IA 51440)

Thank you to these men for their years of service in our diocese and in the parishes of Carroll County. We are grateful for your dedication, and we pray that God will continue to reward you and bless your ministry for years to come!

Fr. Kevin Richter

FROM THE DESK OF THE Regional PAROCHIAL VICAR: On this Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord I am here.

Vocations to the priesthood is vital for the survival of our Church and parishes. How can we encourage vocations? We can pray and fast, exhibit joy, model spiritual fatherhood, courageously invite young men to consider the seminary, encourage young men to attend a youth conference and/or retreat, and/or provide names of potential seminarians to a priest so he may recommend them to the Vocation Director.

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

For All Parishes:

- **JOB OPENING:** Parish Administrative Assistant/Bookkeeper FULL-TIME to perform secretarial and clerical support duties for the Pastor (and staff), i.e., typing, filing, mailing, recording data, and scheduling appointments for the six [6] parishes of Christ the King Catholic Community and to complete all financial transactions for St. Bernard and Our Lady of Mount Carmel parishes in a timely and efficient manner to provide for the efficient operations of the office and enhancement of staff effectiveness. Knowledge, skills, experience required or preferred: one-year of advanced training in business administration, office procedures or general clerical skills with a minimum of two [2] years' experience in secretarial duties and/or a two-year associate degree in accounting or business administration or equivalent work experience in a related field; strong working

knowledge of office equipment and office operations including hands-on computer skills with knowledge of word processing, databases and spreadsheets required; experience in the public presentation of information and financial data is preferred; excellent organizational and communication skills needed including the ability to deal tactfully and graciously with the public in person or on the telephone, and professionally with staff and administrative boards, councils, teams, and committees; above average math and general accounting skills are essential; ability to handle confidential information appropriately, ability to perform responsibilities effectively under occasionally stressful situations, and familiarity with the Roman Catholic Church. Full-time available immediately. 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.

- **BAPTISM CLASS** ... if you are expecting a child or wishing to baptize a child, please contact the parish office at Breda to register for baptism class [if this is your first child or if it has been more than five years since the baptism of your previous child]. The date of Baptism is to be arranged with the pastor after completion of a Baptism Class [held quarterly]. The next Baptism Class is Wednesday May 16, 7:00 p.m. at the Family Ministry Room at St. Bernard-Breda.
- **DAA [Diocesan Annual Appeal]** supports the pastoral, educational, spiritual and human services that benefit thousands of families throughout the 24 counties in the Diocese of Sioux City! The diocese also helps advance the work of parishes with financial assistance and support series. Without your generous support the vital work of the Church would not be possible. We need 100% participation. We need 90 cards from Arcadia, 76 cards from Mount Carmel, and 126 cards from Breda returned. Donating is easy! You may return your DAA envelopes into the collection basket or drop them off at the parish office. Donations can also be made online at <http://scdiocese.org/daa/>. If you have not returned your 2017 DAA pledge card, please do so this week to help us meet our goals by June 15.
- **CAMP CAYOCA** registration is open for grades 3-6, June 10-12: MASTER BUILDER, and 7-12, June 13-15: WALKING WITH GOD, online at <https://scdiocese.org/camp/> until May 25 or until 125 campers are registered for each session. Cost is \$175/camper [not including t-shirt]. This diocesan camp is held at Twin Lakes Bible Camp near Manson. For more information see posters in church entrances.
- **ADORATION/EXPOSITION/BENEDICTION** will be offered on First Fridays of most month at St. Bernard. This is in part is to bring back this great liturgy to our parishes on a regular basis, to fulfill a request made in 2009 in Bishop's Nickless' pastoral letter "The Church is Always in Need of Renewal", and to work towards one of the goals of Ministry 2025. Please join us on June 1.
- **CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION** will begin at the end of the 10:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday June 3 at St. Bernard, after the final blessing, with a short Exposition, and then in place of the usual recessional song, we will begin the procession out of the church with incense, cross, and candles leading Fr. Mark with the monstrance. Once on the front steps of the church the Eucharistic Procession Canopy, carried by six [6] persons, will be held over the monstrance. Everyone is invited to follow the procession as we process around the church property, to the south/west/north/east, and back into church. The procession may take about 15-20 minutes, during which time we will pray a Eucharistic Litany. Once we return to the church the Monstrance will be placed on the altar for a brief period of Adoration. This will be followed by Benediction and the concluding song. We plan to conclude by 11:45 a.m. Everyone is invited to join us. We are in need of volunteers: five [5] Altar Servers [incense, cross, candles [2] and six [6] persons to carry the canopy. If interested, please contact Deacon Greg or Fr. Mark.
- **THE EUCHARISTIC MIRACLES OF THE WORLD VATICAN INTERNATIONAL EXHIBIT**, presented by the Real Presence Education & Adoration Association and sponsored by St. Bernard in Breda, Iowa will be held in the former St. Bernard School gym on Sunday June 3, 10:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m. The exhibit presents the true stories of over 140 miracles associated with weakened faith, honored saints, apparitions, humble peasants, animals, fire, floods, and theft through a self-guided walking tour of 180 color posters. Scientific evidence for each miracle is also presented. Videos and CDs will be available. A special children's area will also be available. This is free and open to the public. Donations will be accepted for TheRealPresence.org. For questions or special groups please contact Shari or Myron Schulte 712-790-9337 / 9424.
- **QUO VADIS DISCERNMENT RETREAT FOR YOUNG MEN** will be August 3-5, 2018 in West Lake Okoboji to help young men [high school/college age] to discern where God is calling them. Register by contacting Fr. Shane Deman or Michelle Steinbach at the Diocese of Sioux City, 712-233-7523 or michelles@scdiocese.org or vocations@scdiocese.org or the parish office. Cost: FREE!
- **CHRIST OUR LIFE** Catholic Conference for Searching Souls will be held September 29-30, 2018 at the Wells Fargo Arena in Des Moines. Speakers include Bishop Robert Barron, Steve Ray, and Steve Angrisano. Cost is \$25/adult, \$15/student-youth. More information may be found on the poster in the church entrance, by visiting www.ChristOurLifeIowa.com, or by calling 1-866-319-0616.
- **MARRIAGE NULLITY WORKSHOP** to be held on Monday, May 14, 2018 at 6 p.m. at Holy Spirit Church (Greteman Center) in Carroll, Iowa. To register, contact Terri at the Tribunal, 712.233.7533 or terrin@scdiocese.org. The workshop is open to all, especially those who are divorced and desire to remarry in the Catholic Church.
- **MASS OFFERING REQUESTS** are to be given to Fr. Mark so he may record and schedule them. Thank you.
- **WORLD YOUTH DAY 2019** will be held in Panama January 21-28, 2019. The Catholic Globe and Canterbury Pilgrimages & Tours are collaborating to provide a pilgrimage, January 21-28, 2019, to Panama City, Panama, to celebrate World Youth Day with Father David Esquiliano, who is fluent in Spanish, serving as the chaplain. Cost is \$3,100-\$3,345. More information may be found on posters in the church entrance, at <https://christthekingcatholiccommunity.org/youth-ministry>, in The Catholic Globe, and at <https://www.canterburypilgrimages.com/allpilgrimages/siouxcity>. Register online with Canterbury Pilgrimages or by contacting the parish office for a registration form.
- **ST. ROSE OF LIMA #6 CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS** would like to thank everyone who supported our Domestic Abuse Drive this past weekend in all the parishes. We appreciate your generous monetary donations for those less fortunate. Forty percent will go towards our State Project and sixty percent will be kept here in our communities. Special thank you to Father Kevin and all the parish priests for their assistance! God bless.

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

- **CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES:** Tanner Higgins, son of Bill/Sheila; Colin Johnson, son of Chris/Brenda; Alex Irlbeck, son of Dan/Theresa; Morgan Kirsch, daughter of Lisa Kirsch/Bruce Kirsch; Paige Lampman, daughter of Eric; Kyle Ricke, son of Jaynee and the late Beanie; Justin Schroeder, son of Greg/Kristi.
- **PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS** the repose of the soul of Jim Ricke who passed away this past week.
- **THE PARISH GUILD** will meet on **Monday, May 14 at 7 p.m.** in the Parish Hall. Lunch/Entertainment Committee members are: Jaynee Ricke, Amy Rohe, Peg Scheidt & Nancy Schmitz.

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

- **CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES:** Dakota Bauer, daughter of Bob/Jennifer; Macy Ludwig, daughter of Gary/Nicky and the late Sue Ludwig; Stephanie Nees, daughter of Joe/Monica; Cameron Pille, son of Bernard/Lisa; Megan Pudenz, daughter of Russ/Marie; Amber Rickers, daughter of Brian/Tammy; Samantha Schmitz, daughter of Gary/Ann.
- **OLMC SESQUICENTENNIAL [150TH]** planning is beginning. Today and over the next several Sundays, members of the OLMC Sesquicentennial Planning Committee will be at the back of church with samples of the celebration shirt designs to give you the opportunity to place shirt orders. Order forms will be available to take with you and the sale of these shirts will play a significant role in the fundraising efforts for the upcoming celebration. In addition to the shirts, the committee is asking for your commitment to be a member of one of several sub-committees that are being formed. Sign-up sheets will be at the back of church for you to volunteer your time and talent to help guide our celebration. There are many opportunities to serve, volunteer, and to choose your involvement thus eliminating the need to be assigned to a sub-committee in the future. Thank you for your help in celebrating our past and future.
- **COFFEE/JUICE/ROLLS** will be served after the 8:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday May 13 to honor the high school seniors, First Communicants, and mothers. Everyone is welcome to enjoy the fellowship in the parish hall.
- **CHURCH CLEANING** (general dusting, vacuuming, bathroom cleaning) is being done once or twice each month by families of the parish. We have openings for June-December 2018. This is good service hours for youth. Please sign up for a month on the bulletin board in the church entrance.

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

- **CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES:** Alexis Gerkin, daughter of Doug/Kim; Adam Haberl, son of Bryan/Christie; Caleb Ludwig, son of Chris/Christy; and Harris Walker, son of Scott/Christina Siebert.
- **PARISH COUNCIL NEWS:** Norma Wessling completed her six [6] year term on the Parish Council. Persons interested in serving on the Council may contact Fr. Mark. The next meeting will be Sunday June 10, 1:00 p.m.
- **THE NURSING HOME BIRTHDAY COMMITTEE** has scheduled a birthday party for Phyllis Redlinger at Sunnybrook on Wednesday, May 23 at 3 p.m. If you need a ride to the party, call Arlene Mueggenberg at 673-2649. Everyone in the area is invited to help Phyllis celebrate.
- **LENDING LIBRARY** is available at St. Bernard in the entrance of the church. **HAVE YOU CHECKED IT OUT?**