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Sunday 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM

Daily 7:45 AM

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Jesus said to his disciples: "I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing!" - Lk 12:49

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Scripture Reflection

Jesus is divisive. We see this throughout the Gospels, as the Pharisees critique him, the Romans condemn him, and not everyone in the crowd is enthusiastic about his words. Jesus has not come for the purpose of dividing, but what he does is so radical that it upends the status quo. And it doesn't end with his preaching and miracles! "There is a baptism with which I must be baptized." Jesus isn't talking about his baptism at the Jordan River, which has already occurred, but the passing through the waters of death on the Cross and rising again to new life in the resurrection. This is divisive stuff! Christ's spiritual fire turned the "fathers" - the Jewish people and Pharisees - against the "sons" - the common people. Not everyone wants the Gospel Jesus is preaching. Not everyone wants to be set on fire with the desire to love others. Some prefer to put on a warm sweater and curl up in front of the TV.

In living and loving as Jesus did, we, too, might ruffle some feathers. In disciplining our teenage child for sneaking out, we may cause some division (temporarily, we hope!). In standing up to gossip and the spread of cruel rumors in our workplace, we might cause division. In emphasizing the dignity of both the desperate mother and the unborn child, we might cause division. Not everyone wants the Gospel Jesus is preaching. Not everyone wants the Gospel we are invited to live. But that's no excuse not to live it. ~ © LPi

Our Mission: We, as disciples of Jesus Christ, gather together as an **inclusive Eucharistic community** to praise and worship God.

We commit ourselves to be good **stewards** in sharing our time, talent and treasure in **service to God and others**.

We commit ourselves to **lifelong faith formation** so that we can **live and share the Gospel of Jesus Christ with the world**.



Sunday, August 18, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM (Sat.) † Bob Fessler
8:30 AM † Roy Klosterman
10:30 AM The People of the Parish

Monday, August 19, Weekday

7:45 AM † Mary Kay Schwind

Tuesday, August 20, Saint Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the Church

7:45 AM † Joanie Connolly

Wednesday, August 21, Saint Pius X, Pope

7:45 AM † Pam Park

Thursday, August 22, The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:45 AM † Roseanne Breitbach

Friday, August 23, Weekday

7:45 AM † Steve "Gomer" Smith

Sunday, August 25, Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM (Sat.) † Deceased Members of Tranel & Kaiser Families
8:30 AM The People of the Parish
10:30 AM † Rita & Harold Love



Have there been times when your relationship with God has been tested by the values of your friends and family?
Question of the Week

Happy Birthday Fr. Paul Otting



Fr. Paul Otting celebrates daily Mass at St. Anthony's on most Mondays and other mornings as needed. Father was born August 24, 1935.

We are deeply grateful for Father Otting's many years of service in our Archdiocese and ask God to bless him with many more years.

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms

The second and fourth weekends of each month are designated for the sacrament of Baptism. Please call the parish office to arrange participation in a Baptism Program for new parents and schedule accordingly.

Matrimony

Contact the pastor at least six months before the intended date to set up a meeting and participate in Marriage Preparation.

Reconciliation

Daily 7:15 AM ** Saturday 3:00 PM-3:30 PM ** Anytime by appointment

Community Engaged in Life-long Faith Formation



SIMPLE LIVING

How far you go in life depends on you being tender with the young, compassionate with the aged, sympathetic with the striving and tolerant of the weak and the strong. Because someday in life you have been all of these. ~ George Washington Carver

Faith Formation News

David McDermott, Faith Formation Director/Adult Formation Tuesday Bible Study/Faith Sharing is Back

A group of parishioners meets every Tuesday at 1 PM in the Knepper conference room (connected to the sacristy). We read the readings from the upcoming weekend, discuss what they mean and how we can apply them to our lives. Please join us, it's a great way to engage more fully in scripture.

Centering Prayer

Join us on Tuesdays from 12:15-12:45 PM in the Faith Formation office for Christian centering prayer. If your life feels noisy, chaotic, or overly busy, this is an opportunity to connect to God in silence.

Religious Education

Stephanie Klapatauskas, Coordinator of Religious Education

School Year Religious Education is Open! Register now for students heading into grades K-10! Sessions start on Wednesday, September 11 at 6:30 PM. For more information and to register, visit <http://www.stanthony-dubuque.org/2019-2020-school-year-religious-education-registration> or call the Faith Formation Office at 582-0377.



Put your smile on, It's picture time!

Lifetouch will be taking photos on October 29, 30, 31 and November 1, 2, 25, 26, 27, 29 and 30 in O'Malley Hall.

Every family photographed will receive a complimentary 8x10 portrait and a St. Anthony directory.

Our directory won't be complete without you, so watch the bulletin for more information in the coming weeks. Sign-ups will begin on September 9.

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Archdiocese and Community Information

PARISH FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Your support is appreciated!

Week of August 11, 2019

Weekly Budgeted	\$	46,000.00
Budget Envelopes	\$	9,790.80
Monthly EFT	\$	35,310.52
Year to Date (Since 7/1/19) Deficit	\$	14,737.00

<u>Extra Collections</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Capital Improvement	\$ 1,195.00	\$ 2,885.25

In today's second reading, St. Paul encourages us not to grow weary or lose heart, but to persevere in following Jesus. Our willingness to give of ourselves, even in the face of conflict and division, is one way to measure our discipleship.

Gospel of Matthew Bible Study

Bible Study by Jeff Cavins. What was Christ's mission, really, and what does He mean when He talks about the "Kingdom of Heaven"? The study will dive into the personhood and kingship of Christ. Study begins the week of September 10: Tuesday mornings 8:30-10:30 AM or Thursday evenings 7:00-9:00 PM at St. Columbkille's Presentation Hall. Cost of materials \$30. To register: email: citywidebiblestudy@gmail.com or call 563-451-2939. Register by August 22. Sponsored by CityWide Bible Study.

Young adults, Nature is calling you this Labor Day weekend!

Join us for the 26th annual Nature's Call Campout in Missouri! You and other young adult Catholics from across the Midwest will enjoy a relaxing getaway to Lake Pomme de Terre, where you can pitch a tent or simply hang a hammock on the several acres of land on the lake! You will meet and grow in friendship with 100+ young faithful while enjoying swimming, live music, dancing, hiking, a cooking competition, sports, and more! Holy Mass and Confessions will be available during the weekend. Food and beverages will not be provided. Stores are nearby for any necessities. The campsite does have restrooms with running water and shower facilities. To learn more and purchase tickets (\$25 online or \$30 at the door), please visit naturescall.camp. We look forward to seeing you!



Donate to Stuff Etc. and Benefit Holy Family!

We are excited to announce that a Holy Family Catholic Schools account has been created at the newly opened Stuff Etc at 2095 Holliday Drive. The phone number is 563-239-1464. Please consider donating items you previously would have donated to Second Changes to this account, and Holy Family Catholic Schools will receive 40% of the sale price. We appreciate the continued support!

Holy Family Strategic Plan Community Input Sessions

On July 23, community members gathered to review and offer feedback on initiatives geared toward Academics and Activities programming at Holy Family. We are grateful to the diverse group of community representatives who attended this meeting and shared their ideas.

Next up – Facilities and Finance. We invite interested community members to join us for this conversation on Tuesday, September 3, from 6:30 to 8:00 PM at Wahlert Catholic High School, 2005 Kane St. Dubuque. No registration is required. We hope you will join us in this important process!

Visit holyfamilydbq.org to offer your input and learn more about strategic planning at Holy Family.

Activities & Meetings

Sunday, August 18

Fair Trade Coffee Sales
Second Collection

Monday, August 19

8:30 AM Scrip - Parish Office

Tuesday, August 20

12:15 PM Centering Prayer - FFCR

1:00 PM Parish Bible Study/Prayer Group - KnCR

Wednesday, August 21

5:30 PM Religious Education In-Service - OM

Thursday, August 22

8:30 AM Scrip - Parish Office

9:30 AM Mother's Prayer Group - KCR

Sunday, August 25

Communal Baptisms

Thank you



A big thank you to everyone who participates for the continued strength of our monthly purple bag food donations.

August's total donation was 468 Lbs

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