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*I will walk before the Lord,
in the land of the living.*

February 28, 2021 • Second Sunday of Lent

Weekday Masses

Monday-Thursday.....7:15am

Weekend Masses

Saturday4:30pm

Sunday7:30, 9:00 (Latin) &
11:00am, 1:00pm(Latin)

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2nd SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus took Peter, James, and John and led them up a high mountain apart by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no fuller on earth could bleach them. - Mk 9:2-3

Second Sunday of Lent

A pregnant woman was walking in the store and met an old friend. Her friend exclaimed, "You are absolutely beaming!" The new life God placed in her womb radiated throughout her body. It was brightly visible on her face and in her eyes. Transformation and change usually happen from the inside out. It is very rare that simply imposing structure from the outside does any good. Yes, it is true that routines and habits can change when things are done differently. But, for this change to last there has to be an interior renewal and metamorphosis as well. Simply regulating behavior and bringing someone into conformity with accepted protocols doesn't mean their heart and soul come with them.

Peter was a homeless man who lived in a very remote and rudimentary tent community. He was happy to make his daily trip to McDonald's and always welcomed a gift card or two so that he could buy some coffee and something to eat. A generous advocate worked to secure him an apartment in hopes of moving Peter out of his makeshift housing and into something safer. Peter finally got the grand tour of his new "digs," received his own key, remarked how wonderful the place was, closed the door behind him when they left and never returned. He preferred his tent. No matter how much things changed on the outside, Peter was happy where he was. A poignant lesson was learned that day.

How is your Lent going? By now you ought to have a sense of whether you're really "into it" this year and something transformational is happening. For many, it's only the stuff on the outside that changes for a few weeks and then they return to business as usual. For others, there are some real inner changes happening that are deepening their relationships with God, others, self, and creation. If we are serious about moving to a new place and radiating with the presence of new life and joy, then we have to clear the way to listen for God's call. Then, there is God's request to change things up a bit and order our lives differently. After realizing we have been called and given a mission, we have to trust that this is where we need to be. And then, after all of this hard work we are asked to act. The fruit that is revealed will indicate whether our journey is authentic. The brilliance of conversion will begin to shine on our faces as we contemplate the One to whom we are asked to listen.

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New Parishioners: Welcome to our parish family! Please see our website or contact the Church Office to register.

Ministry to the Homebound, Hospitalized & Nursing Home

Residents: Call the Church Office to arrange visits.

Baptism: Call the Church Office to arrange instructions and to schedule.

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:00-4:00pm, Sunday 8:30-9:00am

Marriage: Arrangements are to be made at least six months prior to the wedding thru the Church Office.

Prayer Requests

God, grant healing and peace to the sick of our community and those who have requested our prayers.

We ask you to pray for:

Richard Bailey, Stephanie Delleman, Theresa Fahrenkrug, Andrea Greene, Lois Hartog, Hunter James, Kay Lawson, Ben Meyer,

Katie Moore, Peter Nagy, Ron Ochs, Molly B. Olson,

Sally Reck, Betty Roe, John Rubio, Wayne Russell, Donna Turnmeyer



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READINGS

For the Week of February 28, 2021

Sunday: Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Rom 8:31b-34/ Mk 9:2-10
 Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/ Lk 6:36-38
 Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/ Mt 23:1-12
 Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/ Mt 20:17-28
 Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/ Lk 16:19-31
 Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/ Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
 Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/ Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
 Next Sunday: Ex 20:1-17/ 1 Cor 1:22-25/ Jn 2:13-25

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HOLY FAMILY PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of Holy Family Parish, strive to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ through education and celebration of word, sacrament and service.

STEWARDSHIP

Giving of time, talent and treasure in gratitude for all God's gifts



Holy Family Weekly Budget Update February 15-21, 2021

Envelopes (Weekly)	\$9,687.00
Offertory (Loose)	\$321.00
Children	\$3.00
Other	\$415.00
(Holy Days, Generosity, Utilities, etc.)	
Total Received	\$10,426.00

Thank you for your continued support!

**The envelopes and other gifts given by you, the parishioners, are the major source of income for Holy Family Church. Our budget goals are easy to meet if everyone does their part!*

*From Father Paul's desk...***Spiritual Reading**

It sounds like many of you are enjoying the Consecration to St. Joseph. The books that Father Nicholas provided went fast and I even gave up my own copy for a parishioner! I have been doing a bit of spiritual reading during Lent and cut back on TV and internet time to get more done. The latest book I am working on is about the Marian apparitions at Fatima.

On May 13, 1917, and in each subsequent month until October of that year, three young peasant children, Lucia dos Santos and her cousins Francisco and Jacinta Marto, reportedly saw a woman who identified herself as the Lady of the Rosary. The lady (the Virgin Mary), encouraged everyone to pray the Rosary and do penance so that sinners may be saved from the fires of Hell. In particular, she warned against the "errors of Russia" that would spread and cause much disaster around the world. However, in the end, her Immaculate Heart would triumph. It is unfortunate that it seems the "errors of Russia" have spread; not just in the persecution of the Church under communism, but also in the atheistic, materialistic society of the West. Though accomplished in different ways, the ultimate error is the sad belief that God does not exist and there is no use in prayer. Now more than ever we should commit ourselves to praying the rosary and doing penance for sin, asking God to convert sinners and save souls in danger of going to Hell.

One question that had been bothering me about this apparition was "why did Mary appear to shepherd children? Why not appear to kings and bishops with this message?" The author of the book I am reading helped to provide an answer. The community in which these children lived was profoundly religious. They had holy pastors, sang religious songs, attended Mass frequently, and memorized their catechism before first communion! In short, the nation of Portugal had a robust Catholic culture that was able to produce children capable of receiving such a vision. In our fast-paced, materialistic culture would any of us even notice the Blessed Mother if she appeared? I would suggest that it is high time we started to rebuild this Catholic culture so that we can hear the voice of God and our Blessed Mother just as those children did. Slow down, pray, study your faith, and remove all those things in your life which are making you blind and deaf to the grace of God. Our Lady is speaking to us even now with words of peace. Let us open our ears and listen!

—Fr. Paul

From our Parish Nurse:**Changes in Scott County Vaccine Procedures**

People 65 and older with questions concerning COVID-19 vaccine procedures are to contact their primary care doctor at Genesis, Unity Point, Or Community Health Care. If you don't have a primary care doctor, call CASI for assistance. If calling CASI, leave a voicemail and be patient as they will return the call.

**Five reasons you should read
THE CATHOLIC MESSENGER.**

- To enrich your faith and the faith life of family members;
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- To find new ideas for parish ministry;
- To follow Bishop Thomas Zinkula's teachings and interactions in the diocese.
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TEDDY BEAR CLUB REGISTRATION

Preschool registration for the 2021-2022 school year will be held on Monday, March 1st, from 5:45-7:00pm at the Teddy Bear Club. Due to Covid-19, please bring no more than 3 members per family to register.

Registration requirements are as follows:

- Child must be 3-years old on or before October 1, 2021
- Current Physical and Immunization records required at registration
- \$50 registration fee due at registration

We ask that you come prepared to fill out all paperwork, i.e. physician's name, emergency contact addresses/ phone numbers/email addresses, etc.

***If we have additional openings, we may take children who turn 3-years of age before January 1, 2022.

MASS INTENTIONS

FOR MARCH 1–7, 2021

MONDAY, MARCH 1

7:15am Dorothy Schloemer †

TUESDAY, MARCH 2

7:15am Gary Bifano †

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3

7:15am Richard Castel †

8:00am ASCS Mass via livestream.

THURSDAY, MARCH 4

7:15am Randy Eckert †

FRIDAY, MARCH 5

7:15am No Mass today.

6:00 pm Stations of the Cross followed by Mass.

SATURDAY, MARCH 6

4:30pm Ed Von Feldt †

SUNDAY, MARCH 7

7:30 am The People of the Parish

9:00 am Latin Mass

11:00 am Liv./Dec. Mem. Michl family †

1:00 pm Latin Mass



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY:

The Catholic Service Board (CSB) is looking for women interested in joining its organization. CSB is a volunteer group of about 100 women who donate their time volunteering at the Kahl Home, primarily providing activities for the residents. They also help support a project wish list for the Kahl Home as well as other charities. To support these endeavors, CSB operates the Cinderella's Cellar Resale Shop at 230 West 35th Street in Davenport. For more information or to get involved please contact, Rose Hoening at 563-949-9786 or hoeningrose@gmail.com or Linda Redington at 563-468-8729 or lredington31@gmail.com.

ST. ALPHONSUS FISH FRY—St. Alphonsus Church/School, 2626 Boies Avenue, Davenport. 39th Annual Lenten Fish Fry, Fridays from 3:30-7:00pm, thru March 26th. Drive-thru orders ONLY. NO dine-in. Meal options are fried or baked fish dinners for \$10 each. Fried meal includes: batter-fried fish, french fries, onion rings and coleslaw. Baked meal includes: baked fish, baked potato, and coleslaw. Enter parking lot through Birchwood gate approaching from the south. For more information, call 322-0987 or visit www.stalphonsusdav.org.

KC FISH FRY—Columbus Club, 1111 West 35th Street, Davenport. Annual Friday Night Lent Dinner, Fridays from 4:00-7:00pm, thru April 2nd. Dine-in and carry-out available. Menu includes: fried whole catfish dinner or baked white fish dinner, potatoes, vegetables, lettuce salad, roll & butter, coffee, tea or water. The price (including tax) is \$10/person. For more information, call 391-1532.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Saturday, February 27

3:00pm—Confessions, Church

4:30pm—Mass, Church

6:00pm—ASCS Virtual Gala, ASCS Facebook Page

Sunday, February 28

7:30am—Mass, Church

8:30am—Confessions, Church

9:00am—Latin Mass, Church

11:00am—Mass, Church

12:30pm—Confessions, Church

1:00pm—Latin Mass, Church

Monday, March 1

6:40am—Rosary, Church

7:15am—Mass, Church

12:05pm—Latin Mass, Church

Tuesday, March 2

6:40am—Rosary, Church

7:15am—Mass, Church

9:30am—Legion of Mary, Parish Office

5:30pm—Latin Mass, Church

Wednesday, March 3

6:40am—Rosary, Church

7:15am—Mass, Church

6:00pm—Religious Education Classes, Church

Thursday, March 4

6:40am—Rosary, Church

7:15am—Mass, Church

8:00am-4:00pm—Adoration, Church

5:30pm—Latin Mass, Church

Friday, March 5

7:15am—Latin Mass

6:00pm—Stations of the Cross followed by Mass, Church

Saturday, March 6

3:00pm—Confessions, Church

4:30pm—Mass, Church

Sunday, March 7

7:30am—Mass, Church

8:30am—Confessions, Church

9:00am—Latin Mass, Church

11:00am—Mass, Church

12:30pm—Confessions, Church

1:00pm—Latin Mass, Church

The celebration of Mass continues with some restrictions.

- **During Mass everyone is asked to please wear face protection. This is very important now more than ever!**
- Seating is limited to every third pew and six feet apart. Family groups may sit together.
- **Distancing should be maintained while: gathering, during the Communion procession, following Mass.**

Those who are at a greater risk for infection due to age and/or health condition are encouraged to stay home. Throughout this pandemic, all Catholics in the Diocese of Davenport are dispensed from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass. Our weekly email blast has the Sunday bulletin attached. Copies of the bulletin are also available in the church and at the office. The parish office is open, Monday thru Friday, from 9:00am to 4:00pm. In the case of an emergency need after hours, please leave a message at 563-322-0902.





ASCS 2021 VIRTUAL GALA

This weekend plan on joining All Saints Catholic School virtually for our 2021 Gala Fiesta Time!

*Things will look different this year but your support is more important than ever. So, dust off your sombreros, prepare your favorite tacos and margaritas, and gather friends and family for your very own **Watch Party** beginning at 6:00pm on Saturday night!*



There are multiple ways to participate and support All Saints' annual Gala this year:

1) Join us live on our Facebook page at 6:00pm on February 27th to bid on our amazing **LIVE** auction items and watch our live drawings. **2)** Call in to our **LIVE** auction on February 27th by phone, using one of the numbers displayed that evening online. **3)** View both our **SILENT** and **LIVE** auction items now at <http://bidpal.net/ascs gala> and call in a max bid for a **LIVE** auction item to the school office (563-324-3205) especially if you cannot participate that evening. **4)** Purchase raffle tickets for the opportunity to win **FREE TUITION** for one student for the 2021-2022 school year along with other raffles for a 65" Flat Screen TV, a \$250 Hy-Vee Gift card, and a \$250 Gas Card. Raffle tickets must be purchased through the school office. All of the latest updates on our Gala and how you can participate and support us are available at www.ascsdav.org/gala.

LENTEN DISCIPLINES

The Lenten disciplines of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving are not to be taken lightly. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast. On days of fast, one full meal and two lesser meals are allowed. Eating between meals is not permitted. Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 are bound to fast. Ash Wednesday and all of the Fridays of Lent are also days of abstinence. On days of abstinence, meat may not be taken. The law of abstinence binds all Catholics 14 years of age or older. If members of the Faithful are unable to observe fast and abstinence regulations due to ill health or other reasons, they are urged to practice other forms of penance and self-denial suitable to their condition.

HOLY FAMILY LENTEN PROJECT CHARITIES

Every year we select charities to support during the Lenten Season. This year the charities we have selected are:

Catholic Worker House Women's Choice Center Project Renewal Missions of Mercy

Last week there was a bulletin insert explaining these various charities; what they do and who they serve. An envelope was included. Extra copies are also available in the church and the church office.

CANNED GOODS FOR LENT

Our Holy Family Knights of Columbus are joining councils around the state to collect **canned goods for Lent**. From now until March 21st, they are asking you to donate canned goods that will then be distributed to local food banks and charities that help the hungry. Items may be placed in the food pantry collection baskets in the church. Their goal is to collect 500 pounds of non-perishable food items. Cash donations are also welcome and may be placed in the collection basket or mailed to or dropped off at the church office. Please note that this is for "Canned Goods for Lent." As always, we appreciate the generous spirit of our parishioners and friends.

RICE BOWL

BETTER MEALS IN MADAGASCAR: In Madagascar, half of all children are undernourished. That means 50% of kids won't grow to reach their full potential. But communities are changing this by focusing on improving health and nutrition. What role has food played in your life? How can you help those who lack access to enough nutritious food? Visit csrcricebowl.org to learn more.

A LENT RETREAT:

Praying the Psalms on the Way of the Cross

Join fellow Catholics from across the diocese for a Virtual Retreat on Saturday, March 27th, from 10:00am-12:00pm. During our time together, we will consider the role of the Cross and its implications for living a life of discipleship, by reflecting on the Way of the Cross through the Book of Psalms and our own spiritual journey. A computer/tablet/smartphone and an Internet connection is required, but no microphone or webcam is needed. Cost is \$20/person until March 7th and \$25/person until March 24th. For more information or to register, visit <http://www.davenportdiocese.org/adult-retreat> or contact Rosina Hendrickson, Diocesan Lifelong Faith and Lay Ministry Formation Coordinator at 563-888-4244 or hendrickson@davenportdiocese.org.

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