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harden not your hearts.*

**March 7, 2021 • Third Sunday of Lent**

**Weekday Masses**

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

**Weekend Masses**

Saturday .....4:30pm

Sunday .....7:30, 9:00 (Latin) &  
11:00am, 1:00pm(Latin)

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## 3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

“He found in the temple area those who sold oxen, sheep, and doves, as well as the money changers seated there. He made a whip out of cords and drove them all out of the temple area.” -Jn 2:14-15a

**Third Sunday of Lent**

Many prefer a “create as you go” approach to life where laws and protocols primarily exist to secure and protect liberties rather than dictate and outline proper and right behavior. There are no real benchmarks for acceptable ethical and moral behavior, with a “you can’t tell me what to do” attitude prevailing. Parents are even limited in what they can request of their children, and dealing with threatening behaviors, especially from adults, are a challenge as well. Acceptable and expected conduct seems to amount to safeguarding each other’s space rather than increasing awareness of necessary relationships that require a more refined and higher response.

We have lost our axis to the world of “anything goes” and no longer see the Ten Commandments as practical and wise guideposts to effective living. We live on “relativism island” where only a possible suggestion to “love and do not harm” may be the only standard able to be preached. While Jesus most certainly emphasized love above anything else, it was never about warm fuzzy feelings or halfhearted humanitarian efforts. The love of which Jesus spoke establishes an intimate connection with God, neighbor, self, and creation. Because this love, who is God Himself, is at the foundational core of our lives, it demands actions and attitudes that serve to build up, increase, and free up those relationships. Love requires proper conduct. Preserving and enhancing these love centered relationships is at the heart of the Ten Commandments (and the Beatitudes) and the reason for Jesus’ display of anger in the temple.

The Ten Commandments can save the world from turmoil and conflict by instilling basic moral and relational principles within us. They also hold a healthy sense of sin in balance and always remind us of our relationship with God and the freedom God offers. Our faith preserves these jewels of truth that we often look beyond, dismiss altogether, or seek to remove from public view. Human beings can be so arrogant at times. Our Lenten journey, especially when embarked upon with sincerity and resolve, can restore all of our essential relationships. When we get absorbed in life’s preoccupations and demands, things can quickly get distorted and we can find ourselves way off track. In short, we find ourselves in sin. Humanity is losing a sense of both grace and sin. We need both to understand what is real and true. Until we do, the oppressive systems and ideologies that hurt so many will never change. We will never change. We are grateful for those courageous souls who willingly embrace the conversion and hard work Lent demands and stand against antiquated systems and ideologies. They give us hope that all is not lost. ©LPi

**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.

*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



**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.

**REST IN PEACE**

**William Fangmann**  
**William Grogan**  
**Joann Oberhaus**  
**Gerald Shook,**  
 husband of Judy Shook  
**Nicholas T. Kloppenborg,**  
 brother of Jerry Kloppenborg

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**READINGS**

For the Week of March 7, 2021

- Sunday: Ex 20:1-17/  
1 Cor 1:22-25/  
Jn 2:13-25
- Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/  
Lk 4:24-30
- Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/  
Mt 18:21-35
- Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/  
Mt 5:17-19
- Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/  
Lk 11:14-23
- Friday: Hos 14:2-10/  
Mk 12:28-34
- Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/  
Lk 18:9-14
- Next Sunday: 2 Chr 36:14-16,  
19-23/  
Eph 2:4-10/  
Jn 3:14-21

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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 22-28, 2021**

Envelopes (Weekly) .....	\$15,715.50
Offertory (Loose) .....	\$164.00
Children .....	\$4.00
Other .....	\$715.00
(Holy Days, Generosity, Utilities, etc.)	
Total Received .....	\$16,598.50

**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...*

### **From St. Thomas Aquinas' Meditations on Lent for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday:**

The Passion of Christ is the proper cause of the remission of our sins, and that in three ways:

1. Because it provokes us to love God. St. Paul says, *God commendeth his charity towards us; because when as yet we were sinners Christ died for us (Rom. v. 8).*

Through charity we obtain forgiveness for sin, as it says in the gospel, *Many sins are forgiven her because she hath loved much (Luke vii. 47).*

2. The Passion of Christ is the cause of the forgiveness of sins because it is an act of redemption. Since Christ is Himself our head, He has by His own Passion, undertaken from love and obedience, delivered us His members from our sins, as it were at the price of His Passion. Just as a man might by some act of goodness done with his hands buy himself off for a wrong thing he had done with his feet. For as man's natural body is a unity, made up of different limbs, so the whole Church, which is the mystical body of Christ, is reckoned as a single person with its own head, and this head is Christ.

3. The Passion of Christ was a thing equal to its task. For the human nature through which Christ suffered, His Passion is the instrument of His divine nature. Whence all the actions and all the sufferings of that human nature wrought to drive out sin, are wrought by a power that is divine.

Christ, in His Passion, delivered us from our sins in a causal way, that is to say, He set up for us a thing which would be a cause of our emancipation, a thing whereby any sin might at any time be remitted, whether committed now, or in times gone by, or in time to come: much as a physician might make a medicine from which all who are sick may be healed, even those sick in the years yet to come.

But since what gives the Passion of Christ its excellence is the fact that it is the universal cause of the forgiveness of sins, it is necessary that we, each of us ourselves, make use of it for the forgiveness of our own particular sins. This is done through Baptism, Penance and the other sacraments, whose power derives from the Passion of Christ.

By faith also we make use of the Passion of Christ, in order to receive its fruits, as St. Paul says, *Christ Jesus, whom God hath proposed to be a propitiation, through faith in His blood (Rom. iii 25).* But the faith by which we are cleansed from sin is not that faith which can exist side by side with sin--the faith called formless--but faith formed, that is to say, faith made alive by charity. So that the Passion of Christ is not through faith applied merely to our understanding but also to our will. Again, it is from the power of the Passion of Christ that the sins are forgiven which are forgiven by faith in this way.

## **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**

More information and pre-printed envelopes are available in the church and the church office. Please make all checks payable to *Holy Family*. Donations will appear on your yearly contribution statement from Holy Family.

## **Traditional Latin Mass**

For the next few weekends, Father Young will provide **10 Tips** for participating in the Traditional Latin Mass.

### **Tip Number 1:**

If you are a newcomer, recognize that you have been invited by God Himself through a particular grace to be motivated to attend. He has much to reveal to you by your attending this Mass, even if the first few times, you find it "over your head", baffling, or confusing. Do not give up because it may take six or seven times before you begin to be comfortable. Ask the Holy Spirit to guide you. The spiritual benefits will amaze you.

## MASS INTENTIONS

FOR MARCH 8–14, 2021

### MONDAY, MARCH 8

7:15am Mary Phyllis Dengler †

### TUESDAY, MARCH 9

7:15am Laura Ash Taylor †

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10

7:15am Tim Castel †

8:00am ASCS Mass via livestream.

### THURSDAY, MARCH 11

7:15am Michael Heidgerken †

### FRIDAY, MARCH 12

7:15am No Mass today.

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

### SATURDAY, MARCH 13

4:30pm Lillian Matern †

### SUNDAY, MARCH 14

7:30 am Mary Kay Beck †

9:00 am Latin Mass

11:00 am The People of the Parish

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 and other charities. To support these endeavors, CSB operates the Cinderella's Cellar Resale Shop at 230 West 35th Street in Davenport. To get involved, contact Rose (563-949-9786) at [hoenigrose@gmail.com](mailto:hoenigrose@gmail.com) or Linda (563-468-8729) at [iredington31@gmail.com](mailto:iredington31@gmail.com).

## Please welcome our newest Holy Family Parishioners!

Judith Hildebrand

Damien and Amy Martinez Family

**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](http://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, March 6

8:00am—Latin Mass

9:30am—Baptism, Church

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

### Monday, March 8

6:40am—Rosary, Church

7:15am—Mass, Church

12:05pm—Latin Mass, Church

### Tuesday, March 9

6:40am—Rosary, Church

7:15am—Mass, Church

9:30am—Legion of Mary, Parish Office

5:30pm—Latin Mass, Church

6:30pm—KC Business Meeting, Enright Hall

### Wednesday, March 10

6:40am—Rosary, Church

7:15am—Mass, Church

6:00pm—Religious Education Classes, Church

### Thursday, March 11

6:40am—Rosary, Church

7:15am—Mass, Church

8:00am-4:00pm—Adoration, Church

5:30pm—Latin Mass, Church

### Friday, March 12

7:15am—Latin Mass

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

### Saturday, March 13

3:00pm—Confessions, Church

4:30pm—Mass, Church

### Sunday, March 14

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

- **During Mass, please wear face protection.**
- **Seating is limited to every other 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.

**—RCIA—***Holy Family welcomes our Elect: Joshua and Brandon***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 the local food bank 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**

**SUSTAINABILITY IN EL SALVADOR:** Drought has become a big problem across El Salvador, making it difficult for farmers to produce enough crops to support their families. But new farming techniques—and a new generation of young farmers—are making a difference. What would you do if your livelihood was threatened? How can you support young people in your community and around the world? Visit [csrcricebowl.org](http://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](mailto:hendrickson@davenportdiocese.org).

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