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6:00 PM @ Montrose
Sunday 8:30 AM @ Sacred Heart
10:30 AM @ Ss. Mary & Joseph

Daily Mass: Monday 5:30 PM
Tuesday - Friday 8:00 AM
Daily Masses alternate locations, and may be changed in event of funeral Mass; please see inside of bulletin for location

Tuesday 5:30 PM @ Montrose
Reconciliation: 30 minutes prior to weekend Masses or by appointment with Fr. Joseph, 319-372-2399
Fr. Stack, 319-372-2068

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Friday: 8:30 AM - Noon

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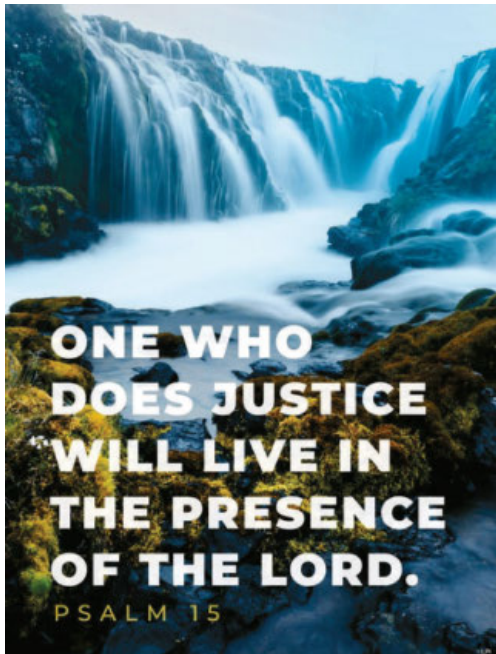
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FATHER JOHN STACK



Some sixty years ago John Stack was born the fourth child of George and Joan Stack in Davenport. Their oldest child Tom was nine years older, Cheryl was seven years older and Dan was five years older. His father and mother were transplants to Iowa having been south side Chicago Irish. George worked for the Rock Island lines since returning from World War II and in the mid 1950's was transferred from Lasalle Street Station to Rock Island IL.

His Mother was the oldest of five girls, and very much missed her sisters, so weekends, school holidays and summers were spent with his family in Chicago. John developed very strong ties with extended family and among the cousins was known to be very competitive. Baseball was his favorite daytime sport, with Risk, Monopoly or any card game for nighttime competitions.

The family really had a typical 1960's development enjoying major summer vacations to Florida to see the Ocean, the Gulf, space program, bush gardens for exotic animals; California to see "the other ocean," Catalina Island, television city and Hollywood. Utah for the Great Salt Lake and Arizona for the Grand Canyon. Nevada for mining, Hoover dam, but mostly for dear neighbors who had been relocated to Reno and were missed.

In 1965 a man from Muscatine Iowa came to see George at his office at the Rock Island depot in Davenport. He was opening a new company and wondered if Dad would work for him running the transportation department? My father came home that night and told my mother that a customer who ran a pump company in Muscatine offered him a job today. He said he'd double my salary. Mom was adamant dad should take the job! Dad was reluctant thinking that he ought not be so fast in giving up railroad retirement and he wasn't sure this guy wouldn't go belly up in a year. Mom prevailed and made Dad take the job. She also called a contractor and built the only family home I've ever known. Dad got in on the ground floor of Bandag and would retire an officer some 25 years later, owing to being hired by Roy Carver. He would spend those 25 years commuting every business day to Muscatine as mom thought Davenport was too small compared to Chicago and Muscatine never had a chance.

to be continued next week . . .

JOB OPENINGS

Holy Family Parish currently has staff positions open for a Secretary/Receptionist, Music Director, and Youth Ministry Coordinator.

Secretary/Receptionist - Organize and operate the parish office with excellent interpersonal relationships, good computer skills, pleasant phone etiquette and a strong understanding of confidentiality.



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Music Director - Encourage full, active, conscious participation of the faithful at parish liturgies by providing musical support for parish celebrations, directing Music Ministry & Sound Ministry, and participating in ongoing liturgy preparation & evaluation.



Youth Ministry Coordinator - Provide vision and coordination for the parish's efforts in ministry to young people from 6th through 12th grades. This includes high school and middle school sessions (weekly or bi-weekly gatherings), monthly activities, catechesis and sacramental preparation (Confirmation).



If you, or someone you know, are interested in any of these positions, please call the parish office, 372-2127.

Day/Date	Time/Location	Intention	Saint of the Day	Scripture Readings
Saturday July 16	4:00 PM @ SsMJ 6:00 PM @ Montrrose	Ann Mohrfeld Schulte Ronnie Krogmeier	Vigil of the Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Genesis 18:1-10a Colossians 1:24-28 Luke 10:38-42
Sunday July 17	8:30 AM @ SH 10:30 AM @ SsMJ	Kay Hoenig For the Parishioners	The Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Genesis 18:1-10a Colossians 1:24-28 Luke 10:38-42
Monday July 18	5:30 PM @ SsMJ	Cyril Meierotto	St. Camillus de Lellis	Micah 6:1-8 Matthew 12:38-42
Tuesday July 19	8:00 AM @ SsMJ 5:30 PM @ Montrrose	Bernie Juettemeyer Rosemary Menke	Weekday	Micah 7:14-20 Matthew 12:46-50
Wednesday July 20	8:00 AM @ SsMJ	Janice Clough	St. Apollinaris	Jeremiah 1:1-10 Matthew 13:1-9
Thursday July 21	8:00 AM @ SsMJ	Cassilda, Richard, and Michael Reichelt	St. Lawrence of Brindisi	Jeremiah 2:1-13 Matthew 13:10-17
Friday July 22	8:00 AM @ SsMJ 3:00-6:00 PM @ SsMJ	Ann Pohlpete Eucharistic Adoration	St. Mary Magdalene	Song of Songs 3:1-4b John 20:1-18
Saturday July 23	4:00 PM @ SsMJ 6:00 PM @ Montrrose	Leo & Mildred Stellern For the Parishioners	Vigil of the Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Genesis 18:20-32 Colossians 2:12-14 Luke 11:1-13
Sunday July 24	8:30 AM @ SH 10:30 AM @ SsMJ	Benita Aguirre Sam & Ang Krogmeier and Yvonne Mertens	The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Genesis 18:20-32 Colossians 2:12-14 Luke 11:1-13

	July 23	July 24	July 24
MINISTRY	4:00 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM
Eucharistic Ministers	Frank & Donna Durand, and Dick Pieper	Chuck Holmes, Floyd Krogmeier, Peggy Hirte, Mary Burk, and Gloria Rives	Linda Panther, Kay McGushin, and Glenda Jackson
Lectors	Jackie Thompson	Kathy Nelson	Diane Powers
Altar Servers	Brynley Farris	Michael Hollister and Baylor Ferreira	Emily & Jacob Walker
Ministers of Hospitality	Dennis & Kathy Osipowicz, and Kim Albers	John & Thelma King, Mark Hirte, and Christa Hollister	Larry & Connie Kelch, Charlene Sallen, and Glenda Jackson
Kensington		Gloria Rives	
SCRIP		Sally Knustrom	Theresa Stalcup

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 18th

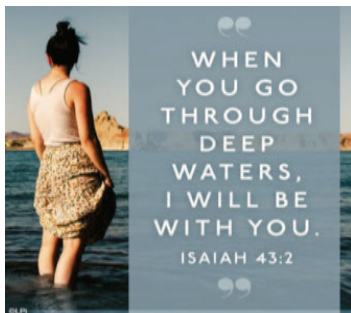
Meeting	Day/Date	Time	Location
Altar Server Training	Wednesday, July 20	7:00 PM	Ss. Mary & Joseph Church
Fishing Tournament/Picnic	Saturday, July 23	8:00 AM	Merlin & Pam Boyd's
Donut Sunday	Sunday, July 24	9:30 AM	Rolling Hall
KC's Breakfast	Sunday, July 31	9:30 AM	Rolling Hall

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE Sunday, July 3-10, 2022

Regular Envelopes	\$11,467.00
Children's Envelopes	\$ 5.20
Electronic Giving	\$ 1,110.00
Offertory	\$ 1,169.00
Holy Trinity Schools	\$ 782.00
Restricted Gift	\$ 420.00
TOTAL PARISH GIFTS	\$14,953.20

Also received:

- Votives - \$171
- Catholic Communication - \$2
- Radio - \$290
- Brown Bag - \$170
- Diocesan Works of Charity - \$90
- Helping Hands - \$100



OUR LADY OF FATIMA PILGRIM STATUE



The Fatima Statue will be hosted this week, **Monday, July 18th - Friday, July 22nd**, by Bernie Cramblit. You can join her at her home for the rosary at **7:00 PM at 302 7th Street, Denmark.**

If you would like to host the statue, or would like more information, please call Sue at 319-372-2464 or 319-470-9464.

MEMORIAL

Holy Family Parish would like to thank the family and friends of Ann Pohlpetter for their donations to her memorial to the parish in the amount of \$1,360.

ST. JOSEPH'S CORNER STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE Sunday, July 3-9, 2022

Regular Envelopes	\$426.00
Offertory	\$ 73.00
TOTAL PARISH GIFTS	\$499.00

MINISTRY SCHEDULE - JULY 23

- Lector: Mike Hogan
- Eucharistic: Joe and
- Ministers: Rose Bergman

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING



Holy Family Parish will be having another Altar Server Training. The training is scheduled for **Wednesday, July 20th, at 7:00 PM** at **Ss. Mary & Joseph Church** and is open to *ANYONE* who has received their First Communion and wants to serve as an Altar Server during Masses.

ANNUAL PICNIC and FISHING TOURNAMENT



The annual Altar Server picnic and tournament will be held on **Saturday, July 23rd**, at **Merlin and Pam Boyd's** house/pond. The tournament will begin at **8:00 AM**, with pre-fishing instructions being given out at 7:45 AM. **Registration begins at 7:30 AM.** The tournament ends with lunch provided and served by the Knights of Columbus at 11:30 AM. Prizes for largest, smallest, and most caught will be awarded in age groups. All current and past Altar Servers, those interested in serving as an Altar Server, their families, and friends interested in altar serving, are invited to attend. Children who have received their First Communion are eligible to be an Altar Server. If your child is interested, please bring them to the tournament/picnic for some fun and fellowship. Please **RSVP**, or with questions, to **Joe Peitz at 319-470-8702**, no later than **July 18th** to allow for planning of food.

VOCATIONS CORNER

“In Old Age they Still Bear fruit (Psalm 92:15)

Celebrating the Vocation of a Grandparent and the Elderly

“Our vocation is to preserve our roots, to pass on the faith to the young and to care for the little ones,” said Pope Francis. “There is no retirement age from the work of proclaiming the Gospel and handing down traditions to your grandchildren,” he added. Wanting to recognize the important vocation of a Grandparent and elderly, Pope Francis established a World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly which took place for the first time on Sunday, July 25, 2021. In 2022, the celebration will fall on Sunday, July 24, the Sunday closest to the Feast of Saints Joachim and Anne, Grandparents of Jesus. The theme chosen by Pope Francis for this year’s celebration is: “In old age they will still bear fruit” (Psalm 92:15).

Next Sunday July 24, we invite families to include their grandparents or elderly friends or neighbors to join them in their church pew in celebration. If they cannot attend Mass in person, make plans on a time to visit them during the weekend. This year, Pope Francis announced several grants of indulgences for those taking part in the second World Day for Grandparents and the elderly. A plenary indulgence, which may also be obtained in suffrage for the souls in Purgatory, is granted:

- to grandparents, the elderly, and the faithful who, motivated by a true spirit of penance and charity, will participate on July 24th in the solemn celebration that Pope Francis will preside over in the Vatican, or in the various functions that take place throughout the world;
- to the faithful who, on the same day, devote adequate time to visit, in person or virtually through the media, their disabled brothers and sisters in need or in difficulty (such as the sick, the abandoned, or the disabled)
- to the sick, elderly, and all those who, unable to leave their homes for a serious reason, will unite spiritually with the sacred services of the World Day, offering to the Merciful God their prayers, the pains and sufferings of their lives, especially while the words of the Supreme Pontiff and the various celebrations are broadcast through the media.

The grants of indulgence, “from the heavenly treasures of the Church,” are made under the usual conditions of sacramental Confession, Eucharistic confession, and prayers for the intentions of the Pope.

Prayer for the Second World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

I give thanks to you, Lord, for the blessings of a long life.
 For, to those who take refuge in You, Grant always to bear fruit.
 Forgive, O Lord, resignation and disillusionment,
 but forsake me not when my strength declines.
 Teach me to look with hope to the future you give me,
 to the mission you entrust to me and to sing your praises without end.
 Make me a tender craftsman of your revolution,
 to guard with love my grandchildren and all the little ones who seek shelter in You.
 Protect, O Lord, Pope Francis and grant Thy Church to deliver the world from loneliness.
 Direct our steps in the way of peace. Amen

Vocation Calendar for July/August 2022

July 23rd and 24th	World Day for Grandparents and Elderly
August 5	First Friday and Vocational Holy Hour 5 pm – 6 pm
August 6	First Saturday
August 7	Come, meet the Davenport Diocese seminarians, visit with our priests, deacons and religious, Picnic, Sacred Heart Cathedral, Davenport
August 14	Come, meet the Davenport Diocese seminarians, visit with our priests, deacons and religious Picnic, St. Patrick’s Parish, Iowa City.
August 29	Deacon Ronald Stein Deaconate Ordination Anniversary

“Mary has chosen the better part.” Does a life of prayer and service as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life attract you? Contact the Vocation office at 319-372-2127.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

St. Mary's in West Point is looking for kids to stam-pede to this year's adventure in God's word at Monumental Vacation Bible School! This year's program will begin July 18th and end on July 22nd, with closing ceremonies being held July 22nd at 7:00 p.m. Sessions will be held from 8:30-11:30 in the morning. We will be meeting in St. Paul. A bus will be available for transportation from the ECC in Fort Madison and Sunshine Daycare in West Point. Please complete the registration form (in the back of church) and return with your \$15.00 registration fee (\$30.00 maximum per family) made out to St. Mary's to Dixie Booten at PO Box 68, West Point, IA 52656 by **July 18th**. If you have any questions, please call Dixie at 837-6808 or 371-5043.



CHRIST OUR LIFE

September 24 & 25th will be the seventh life-changing Christ Our Life Conference. Once again, world-class speakers will present topics of critical importance to all.

Please join in for a weekend of faith sharing, faith building and praise as we listen and learn from world-class speakers, renowned Catholic exhibitors and most importantly, share the sacraments.

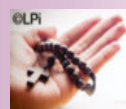
Join thousands as we celebrate Mass, enjoy time with Jesus in Adoration, avail ourselves of Reconciliation and fill our spirits with music and prayer! Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$15 for students, and children under five years of age are free. Tickets can be purchased by going to <https://christourlifeiowa.com/>.

Diana Menke - 372-2559

Linda Senf - 463-7752

Carol Foehring - 372-7759

If you have a prayer request you'd like added to our prayer chain, please give one of the ladies above a call.



PRAYER REQUESTS

SCRIP



SCRIP is now available for sale at the 10:30 AM Sunday Masses. In addition to the 10:30 Mass, SCRIP is also available at the 8:30 AM Sunday morning Mass and the parish office.

WOULD YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW LIKE A VISIT?

Would you or someone you know like a visit in your home/hospital room from Fr. Joseph, Fr. Stack, or a homebound minister? Any of them would be more than happy to visit. If you'd like them to bring Jesus in the Eucharist they'd like to do that also. Fr. Joseph and Father Stack would also be happy to give the Sacrament of Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick if requested. Please call the parish office, 372-2127, if you or someone else would like a visit.

FOOD PANTRY

With the increase in grocery and gas prices, the Fort Madison Food pantry client base is increasing each month. Don't know what to donate? Mac/cheese, soup, crackers, cookies, pancake mix. Have a few extra hours? Volunteers are needed. Feel free to call Shirley Gabel, 319-470-0152, if you have any questions about volunteering. Monetary donations from parishioners from April-June totaled \$885. Thank you for your continued support of our neighbors in need.

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