



# 5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He told them, “Let us go on to the nearby villages that I may preach there also. For this purpose have I come.” - Mk 1:38

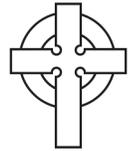
Painting of Jesus Christ in Holy Dormition Cathedral in Pochaev Lavra, Ukraine



# St. Patrick Catholic Church

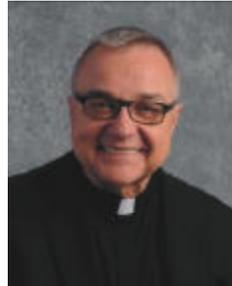
Cedar Falls, Iowa

February 6/7, Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



## A MESSAGE FROM FR. COLTER ABOUT ASH WEDNESDAY

Lent approaches. Ash Wednesday is February 17. As you know, we usually get large crowds at the Masses that day. I do not, of course, expect such crowds this year. Remember that it is not a holy day of obligation and even if it were, we are all dispensed from such obligations as long as the pandemic lasts. As for Mass times, the 8:30 will be for St. Patrick students and teachers only. The other Masses are at 11:30 AM, 5:00 PM, and 6:30 PM. Remember masks and social distancing, the latter for all who do not live in the same household.



There will be four ministers for the ashes and the same four for communion. For both ash-distribution and communion, two ministers will be in the back of church and two in the front. Ushers will direct you accordingly. You will simply be touched briefly on the forehead with the ashes and without words. Remember that even if you do attend one of the Masses, there is no obligation to come to receive the ashes if you are not comfortable with that. **Finally, if the congregation reaches our desired limit, those arriving late may be told that the church is full.**

## KC FISH FRY IS BACK; CURBSIDE PICKUP ONLY

The Knights of Columbus will be offering CURBSIDE PICKUP fish fry dinners this Lenten season. The hours will be from 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM this year.

Please drive into the upper parking lot off of Main Street where you will be greeted by a KC member. He'll take your order (number of meals you'd like) and collect the money. Meals will be delivered to your car from the south door of the gym (commonly referred to as "Father's door" as it leads to Father's house). You'll then exit onto West 8<sup>th</sup> Street.



Each meal will be \$10 (cash or check made out to the "Knights of Columbus") and will include fried fish, baked potato, green beans, mac and cheese, coleslaw, dinner roll, sherbet, and cookies. Condiments will include tartar sauce, sour cream, and butter. No napkins or silverware will be provided. There will be no special orders and no kids meals this year.

The first fish fry night is February 19 and the Knights are planning for 200 meals. The Knights apologize ahead of time if the first night has an overwhelming response and we run out. The Knights will assess the results of the first fish fry and decide if they will continue to offer CURBSIDE PICKUP meals for the following weeks of Lent.

## Mass Schedule & Intentions.



For the Week of February 6/7

<b>Mon, Feb 8</b>	11:30 AM Mass	Ray and Rosemary Stefanich†
<b>Tue, Feb 9</b>	11:30 AM Mass	Special Intention
<b>Wed, Feb 10</b>	11:30 AM Mass	Nancy Golinvaux†
<b>Thur, Feb 11</b>	11:30 AM Mass	Rob Hewlitt Jr.†
<b>Fri, Feb 12</b>	11:30 AM Mass	Frances Runnells†
<b>Sat, Feb 13</b>	5:00 PM Mass	Kathy House†
<b>Sun, Feb 14</b>	7:30 AM Mass	Marvin Hayes†
	9:30 AM Mass	Cecelia Mudd†
	10:30 AM	Word and Communion
	11:30 AM Mass	For the People

Reconciliation in the Chapel on Saturdays at 3:45 PM until all are heard.

## REMINDER FROM FR. COLTER

I remind everyone that at St. Patrick we wear masks at Mass. They are to be worn from entry to exit, that is, throughout the ceremony. They may be pulled down briefly only to allow for consuming the Sacred Host.

The mask is also to be worn properly, that is, covering both nose and mouth. I observe some not respecting this latter rule, whether because of an ill-fitting mask, forgetfulness, or a sort of juvenile rebelliousness. In any case, I am receiving complaints from parishioners who resent others making exceptions of themselves. These parishioners do not enjoy being roused to anger in the midst of worship.



I myself am sufficiently distant from the congregation to permit me to remove my mask at the altar for the sake of praying and preaching. Similarly, lectors and cantors may remove them while performing their ministries but they are to replace them when they finish a reading or a song.

**For the rest, I beg of you to wear your mask always and wear it properly. Thank you. And may God soon rescue us all from this scourge.**

**FATHER COLTER'S TUESDAY BIBLE** Study will be February 9 at 10 AM in the lower level gym (church basement). Face coverings are required.

# In Our Parish

## SUPPORT CATHOLIC CHARITIES AND HELP THE POOR

Dear friends,  
Monsignor Jim Barta once said to me: Quakers are known as peacemakers, and Amish as furniture-makers (and living simply), but what are Catholics known for?

What comes ready to mind are things like rituals, rules, and the rod of punishment; Bingo, fish fries, capes, and swords. Those aren't bad, but not really powerful enough to attract or retain members in the Catholic Church.

So, what is? Here's the deal, Parker: We are followers of Jesus in his Catholic Church.



For us, living by his teaching and example are vital, and the most important is love of God and neighbor. Loving God by loving our neighbor is practiced by helping people who can't protect themselves – like the unborn and immigrants – or provide for themselves, such as the poor.

Protecting and providing for others is pure and undefiled religion. It is the basis on which Jesus will judge us: those who did will enjoy heaven, those who did not will not.

It also has the ability to cover a multitude of sins and it can thwart the worldly allure and spiritual threat of power, privilege and perks.

"No one among them was in need." That was said of the first Christians, in the Acts of the Apostles, because they shared with the poor. Can that be said of our generation too? It can if we share - that's what Jesus wants us to be known for! Yes, devout prayer, a beautiful Mass, great RE or Catholic school, but not without serving the poor.

When Catholic Charities makes its appeal for 2021 beginning on February 13-14, help them to help the poor. And helping them (please, God) will help us to be able to answer Monsignor Barta honestly: We Catholics are known for helping people who can't provide for or protect themselves.

Confident of your generosity, and grateful for it, I am.

Sincerely yours in Christ,  
**Michael O. Jackels**  
Archbishop of Dubuque

## FASTING AND ABSTINENCE DURING LENT

In the United States, Catholics age 14 and older are required to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and the Fridays in Lent.

Catholics age 15 through 59 are required to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. (Fasting means refraining from consuming food or drinks considered to be food outside of one regular meal and two smaller meals each day. The smaller meals, if added together, should not exceed the main meal in quantity.)

Individuals are excused from fasting and abstinence if they are sick, frail, pregnant, nursing, have other disabilities which make it difficult to understand or observe the practice; also excused are manual laborers who need more sustenance, guests who cannot excuse themselves from a meal without giving offense, and individuals in other situations of moral or physical difficulty or situations in which fasting or abstinence would prevent them from carrying out their responsibilities.



## MINISTER ASSIGNMENTS

### Saturday, February 13, 2021

#### 5:00 PM MASS

##### Communion Ministers:

Deb Gray, Mike Hayes

**Altar Server:** Joseph Kwofie

**Lector:** Tim Boller

**Ushers:** Dan Deery, Gary Winterhof

**Cantor:** Erica Schultz

**Keyboard:** Ruth Koltookian

### SUNDAY February 14, 2021

#### 7:30 AM MASS

##### Communion Ministers:

Chris & Jim Draude

**Altar Server:** Morgan Dieterich

**Lector:** Al Leavens

**Ushers:** Kirk Manfredi, Tom Moody

**Cantor:** Mark Hannasch

**Keyboard:** Lisa Sevcik

#### 9:30 AM MASS

##### Communion Ministers:

Deb Giarusso, Diane Layton

**Altar Server:** Eve Duppong

**Lector:** Kelsey Kersting

**Ushers:** Josh Bevins, Scott Schaefer

**Cantor:** Sarah Burke

**Keyboard:** Ryan Occena

#### 10:30 AM SERVICE OF WORD AND COMMUNION

##### Communion Ministers: Al & Jill Weber

**Lector:** Tim Hartung

#### 11:30 AM MASS

##### Communion Ministers:

Therese Buffington,

Joan Smothers

**Altar Server:** Liam Woods

**Lector:** Sophia Woods

**Ushers:** Ron Kane, Dennis Phillips

**Cantor:** Tony Tomlyanovich

**Keyboard:** Casey Tecklenburg

*If you cannot serve, please find a replacement.*

## SERVICE OF WORD AND COMMUNION

We now have a service of Word and Communion at 10:30 AM each Sunday in the church. What does this look like? Just think of it as a Mass without the Eucharistic Prayer and Consecration. In other words, after the Petitions, the service goes at once to the Lord's Prayer and Holy Communion.

## OFFICE CLOSED FEBRUARY 15

The parish office will be closed Monday, February 15 for Presidents' Day. There will be daily Mass at 11:30 AM.

## CDA TO MEET VIA ZOOM

The next CDA meeting is February 8 at 6:30 PM. It will be via Zoom. An email will be coming out soon with more details.

**MASS ONLINE:** We invite you to watch our weekend Mass online if you can't attend in person. Check the website or parish Facebook page to see which weekend Mass will be livestreamed. If you have questions, please call the parish office at (319) 266-3523.

# Faith Formation

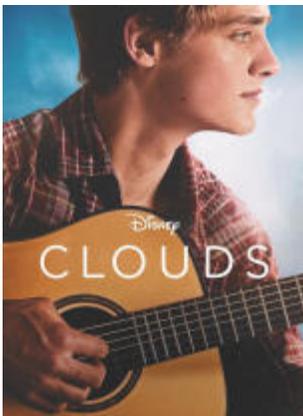
**CONFIRMATION TEAM LEADERS NEEDED:** Help inspire young people to passionately pursue the Faith! Confirmation group leaders are needed to help the next generation of youth prepare for the sacrament.

Youth, young adults, and adults who have received the sacrament of Confirmation and would like to share their gifts to grow one, holy, Catholic, and apostolic Church are encouraged to volunteer to help lead our in-person Sunday sacramental preparation sessions. Sessions meet from 12:30-2:30 PM starting in March and ending in October (summer off). Leaders will help facilitate small group discussion, plan, give talks, and lead sessions, as well as assist with the Confirmation Retreat.

Ideally, 8-10 leaders are needed to fully bring the sacrament to life for our candidates. Please reach out to Rosie by **Monday, February 8**.

*Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And You shall renew the face of the earth.*

*O, God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit, did instruct the hearts of the faithful, grant that by the same Holy Spirit we may be truly wise and ever enjoy His consolations, Through Christ Our Lord, Amen.*



## JOIN US FOR MOVIE NIGHT

Join us for Youth Ministry Movie Night February 12, 6:30 PM to 9 PM in the Youth Center. Snacks and drinks will be provided. Enter through the Washington Street door.

Our February movie, *Clouds*, follows young musician Zach Sobiech as he discovers his cancer has spread leaving him just a few months to live. With limited time, he follows his dream and makes an album, unaware that it will soon be a viral music phenomenon.

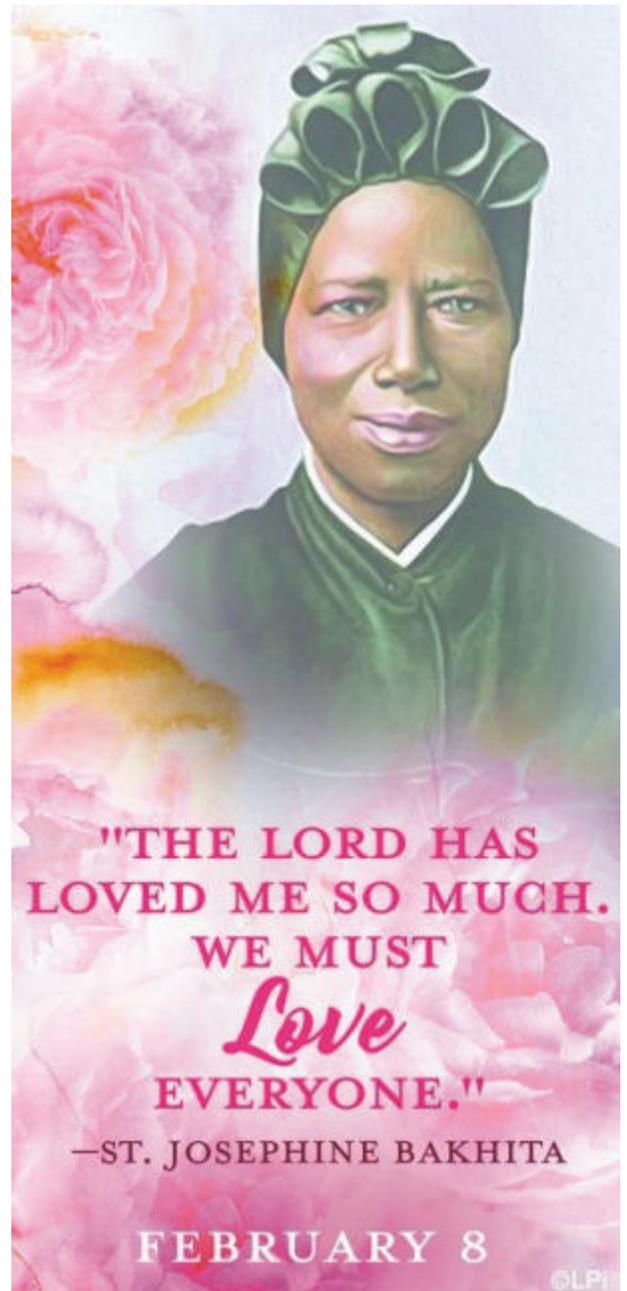
## LOOKING AHEAD TO LENT AND EASTER AT ST. PATRICK

Join us for Adoration, Reconciliation, and General Absolution during Lent. Adoration will be 5:30-6:30 PM in the Church with individual confessions heard in the chapel Feb. 18, Feb. 25, March 4 and March 11 during Adoration. There will be Adoration and General Absolution on March 18 and March 25. Adoration will be 5:30 to 6 PM with General Absolution at 6 PM. There will also be General Absolution at noon on March 24 following Daily Mass at 11:30 AM.



## LIVESTREAM VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Do you have a knack for technology? Want to share your talents with the parish? We are looking for several volunteers to join in our livestreaming efforts for weekend Mass. By being trained, the door is also opened in a growing effort to bring other parish activities and events to parishioners' homes. Contact Laura Dobson at [ldobson@cf Catholicschool.org](mailto:ldobson@cf Catholicschool.org) or Rosie Guerrero at [rguerrero@saintpatrickcf.org](mailto:rguerrero@saintpatrickcf.org) if you are interested AND are a 7<sup>th</sup> grader or older.



## LENTEN GOSPEL REFLECTIONS

We are once again providing *Lenten Gospel Reflection* books. In the book you will find the full gospel reading for each day of Lent and a reflection from Bishop Robert Barron. There are questions for reflection, journal pages, and Stations of the Cross meditations.



Please pick up a book if you will use it. We will have them available in the narthex, atrium, and the church office. We ordered fewer books this year due to the reduced number of parishioners attending "in-person" Mass; so we hope to have enough for all who wish to have one. We also have limited copies of *The Word Among Us* for Lent. These are in the parish office.

**VIRTUAL GRIEF RETREAT** – Saturday, February 20, 9:00 AM to noon, via live video conference. “Navigating Together” is the theme for this retreat day sponsored by the Franciscan Spirituality Center in LaCrosse. Registration: \$15 due by Noon on Feb. 19. Learn more and register online at: <http://bit.ly/navigating-together>

**OREMUS—A GUIDE TO CATHOLIC PRAYER VIDEO SERIES**

This five-week online video series explores the essentials of an effective and fruitful prayer life. Fr. Mark Toups helps participants understand the nature of prayer, discover how God speaks to them, and explore the various ways we can respond to God in prayer. The series starts Wednesday, February 24, and meets online from 7:00 to 8:00pm.

- Learn more at [waterloocatholics.org/oremus](http://waterloocatholics.org/oremus)
- Register to participate at [bit.ly/oremus-registration](http://bit.ly/oremus-registration)

**TWEET FROM POPE FRANCIS @Pontifex**

The Lord looks for us where we are, he loves us as we are, and he patiently walks by our side. With his word, he wants to change us, to invite us to live fuller lives and to put out into the deep together with him.

*Readings for the Week of February 7*

**FIRST READING:**

I am filled with restlessness until the dawn. (Jb 7:4)

**PSALM:**

Praise the Lord, who heals the brokenhearted. (Ps 147)

**SECOND READING:**

I have become all things to all, to save at least some. All this I do for the sake of the gospel, so that I too may have a share in it. (1 Cor 9:22-23)

**GOSPEL:**

He cured many who were sick with various diseases, and he drove out many demons, not permitting them to speak because they knew him. (Mk 1:34)



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- Sunday:** Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 3a]/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-3
- Monday:** Gn 1:1-19/Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10 and 12, 24 and 35c [31b]/Mk 6:53-56
- Tuesday:** Gn 1:20—2:4a/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2ab]/Mk 7:1-13
- Wednesday:** Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30 [1a]/Mk 7:14-23
- Thursday:** Gn 2:18-25/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1a]/Mk 7:24-30
- Friday:** Gn 3:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7 [1a]/Mk 7:31-37
- Saturday:** Gn 3:9-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13 [1]/Mk 8:1-10
- Next Sunday:** Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11 [7]/1 Cor 10:31—11:1/Mk 1:40-45



**WHAT'S ALL THE CHATTER?**

**IN THE PAST WEEKS** you have probably heard that the Iowa Legislature has taken steps to give parents greater choice in the education of their children. As with any type of change, there are strong feelings on both sides of this proposal. We have always viewed parents as the first educators of their children and, therefore, are very excited about the possibility of giving parents the freedom to choose a school that best fits their family's needs. There have been some common myths put out in the media and social media, and I would like to address just a couple of them.

**IT IS A MYTH** that Iowa private schools have no accountability. St. Patrick Catholic School as well as all of Iowa's nonpublic schools undergo a rigorous process to become accredited by the Iowa Department of Education. We follow the Iowa Civil Rights Code. Teachers in our school must be licensed by the state Board of Educational Examiners. St. Patrick Catholic School submits multiple reports to the state on attendance, student data, achievement, and other measures. Perhaps most importantly — we are accountable to the parents who make significant sacrifices and entrust their children to us.

**THE CREATION** of an Education Savings Account (ESA) program or Student Scholarship does not mean the reduction of public education funding. The focus of the ESA program is to empower parents to make the best choice for their child's education. This is not a public versus private school debate — it is about educating all children in the best way possible. ESA proposals call for a state grant from the General Fund to be deposited in each student's ESA. If a student transfers from a public school, the remaining educational funds (property taxes and federal support) remain in the public school system to enrich the quality of education. Additionally, the public school district no longer bears the cost of educating that child, which can be significantly higher than the amount of a Student Scholarship.

**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS** look at educating the whole child. We welcome people of all faiths and backgrounds. We pride ourselves in giving individualized attention to all students and have programs that assist students of all academic levels. Most importantly, we listen carefully to families and assess the needs of each child. We give an honest perspective on exactly how we can meet various academic and social needs. We are focused on recommending what is best for the child!

**IF YOU WOULD** like more information on our school please contact me at 319-277-6781 or email at [lhackett@cf Catholicschool.org](mailto:lhackett@cf Catholicschool.org).

**Blessings,**  
**Lynette Hackett, Principal**

# In Our Parish and Beyond

**ALPHA FOR CATHOLICS** – Monday evenings starting February 8, 6:00-7:30 PM, live video discussion. Alpha is a video series for adults and young adults who want to explore or renew their relationship to Jesus Christ and the Christian faith. Learn more online at [waterloocatholics.org/alpha](http://waterloocatholics.org/alpha).

- Register for the Alpha winter series at: [bit.ly/winter-alpha-21](http://bit.ly/winter-alpha-21)

**SPIRITUAL GROWTH DISCUSSION** – Wednesday, February 10, 6:30-7:30 PM, live video discussion. This discussion is for adults and young adults who want to learn more about how to develop or strengthen their spiritual life. Learn more at: <https://waterloocatholics.org/spiritual-growth>

- Register online at: [bit.ly/spiritual-growth-discussion](http://bit.ly/spiritual-growth-discussion)

**WINTER FORUM SERIES**/Session 4 will be Thursday, February 11, 6:30-8:00 PM via live video conference. Dr. Susan Cantu Gregory will discuss what the pandemic experience is teaching Catholics about the nature of Eucharist. Information online at: [waterloocatholics.org/winter-forum](http://waterloocatholics.org/winter-forum)

- Register to participate at [bit.ly/winter-forum](http://bit.ly/winter-forum)

## CONSIDER THE MEN'S CONFERENCE

The 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Catholic Men's Conference will be Saturday, March 13 and will feature keynote speaker Patrick Madrid, along with breakout sessions, Mass with Archbishop Jackels, and more. Due to COVID-19, participants can register to join either virtually (via a live-stream) or in-person at Xavier Catholic High School, Cedar Rapids (where guidelines will be followed to prevent the spread of the virus). Groups of 5 or more virtual participants may register at a discounted group rate. For more details visit: [www.ArchMensConference.org](http://www.ArchMensConference.org).

**BUSY CATHOLIC'S GUIDE TO LENT** – Tuesday, February 16, 6:00-7:00 PM. This online opportunity is for adults and young adults who want to participate more intentionally in this important liturgical season. Learn more at: [waterloocatholics.org/busy-catholics-guide](http://waterloocatholics.org/busy-catholics-guide)

- Register to participate at: <http://bit.ly/busy-catholics-guide>

**BUSY CATHOLIC'S GUIDE TO PRAYER** – Thursday, February 18, 7:00-8:00 PM, via live video discussion. This discussion is for adults and young adults who want to explore some basic information about what prayer is and how to incorporate prayer into everyday life. Learn more here: [waterloocatholics.org/busy-catholics-guide](http://waterloocatholics.org/busy-catholics-guide)

- Register to participate here: <http://bit.ly/busy-catholics-guide>

## TELEHEALTH COUNSELORS AVAILABLE

Catholic Charities Counselors are accepting new clients from any location in the Archdiocese of Dubuque via telehealth. The telehealth process allows counselors to meet with clients remotely via computer or other devices. Counseling provides individuals, couples, and families the ability to work out their challenges before they become a crisis, helping to maintain emotional health and strengthen relationships.

Contact us at 563-588-0558 to be connected to a licensed professional.

## WELCOME TO ST. PATRICK PARISH!

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For more information, please call the parish office (open M-F 9- 5 PM) at **319-266-3523** or visit our website, [www.SaintPatrickcf.org](http://www.SaintPatrickcf.org).

## Pray For

Samantha Malley, who was recently baptized and confirmed into the Catholic family of faith:

That she may continue to reflect on the Word of Christ as she unpacks the mysteries of the Eucharist now one with us.

All in health care ministry:

That God will work through them to bring healing and strength to all who seek their assistance.

Effective and rapid distribution of the Covid vaccines:

That God will inspire and guide those who are distributing and administering the vaccines and bring an end to the pandemic.

Our school and faith formation programs:

That our parish is inspired to make you known, loved, and served, and grant that all families who desire a Catholic education for their children be given that blessing.

**THERE ARE MANY REMOTE OPTIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN DAILY AND** Sunday Masses. Many cable subscriptions include the EWTN Catholic television channel, which carries Mass on various days and times. Please check local listings for that option or online at <https://www.ewtn.com/tv/schedule> or <https://www.ewtn.com/tv/channel-finder>

**Daily and Sunday Mass** at Blessed Sacrament Church, Waterloo, are broadcast via livestream at [www.blessedsacramentwaterloo.org](http://www.blessedsacramentwaterloo.org). Scroll down to Blessed Sacrament Live.

**The Archdiocese of Dubuque** offers online Mass with Archbishop Michael Jackels presiding. A link is available at: <https://dbqarch.org/live-broadcasts>

**Tune in to Heart of Nation Mass** at 9 AM Sundays. On Cedar Falls Utilities Cable, find it at Channel 7.2 CW, on CFU HD find it at Channel 3 or 403, on Media Com Digital, find it at Channel 107 or 819. It is also available online at: <https://www.heartofthenation.org/online-mass/sunday-mass>.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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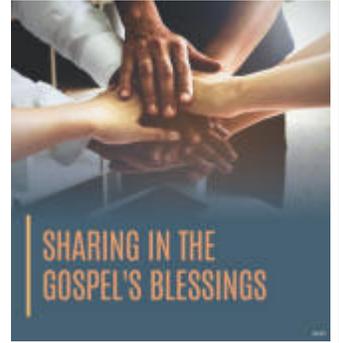
[www.ststephenuni.org](http://www.ststephenuni.org) or Phone: 319-266-9863

Weekend Masses: Saturday 7 PM, Sunday 10:30 AM & 7 PM.

Primetime Mass: Wednesday 9 PM.

See website for more information on daily Mass.

## Stewardship Reflection



Like St. Paul in the second reading, the good steward can say, "I do all that I do for the sake of the Gospel in the hope of sharing in its blessings."

### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL AT CHS**

*"I prefer nothing, absolutely nothing, to the love of Christ."* (St. Benedict) Show your love for Christ by spending a committed hour with Him each week at the Perpetual Adoration Chapel located at Columbus HS. Consider signing up for a weekly, bi-weekly or monthly hour of Eucharistic adoration.

Specific needs at this time are Tuesdays at 1 PM and Wednesday at 3 AM and 2 AM (once a month). If interested email [cvadoration@gmail.com](mailto:cvadoration@gmail.com) or call William Brandle at (319)939-9000.

## St. Patrick Scrip News

Consider giving Scrip a try if you haven't done that before or make sure to place an order if you are one of our regular supporters. Help the school and earn tuition for your child/relative if you like. You can split the rebate between school and the student's tuition account.

Did you know that if you will have a kindergartner at St. Patrick next year, you can start earning tuition dollars now? We can get almost any gift card you would like! Click on "Order Scrip" on the parish or school homepage to learn more.

You can set up to pay online or simply bring in a check when you pick up your order at the parish office. We have many local businesses in our Scrip program, so it's a great way to "shop (or dine) local" too!

## Baptism Information

The next Baptism class will be offered on:

**Monday, March 22 at 6:30 PM via Zoom.**

Register online (Under the "Get Involved" Tab, click on "Sacraments") or call the parish office. Class is required for the first child only.

**Parents are asked** to contact the parish office at 319-266-3523 to schedule your child's Baptism. Due to the pandemic, baptisms are conducted outside of Mass.

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