

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MAY 22, 2022 | 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

“Peace I leave with you.”
- Jn 14:27a

PARISH OFFICE INFORMATION

Parish Contacts

Parish Office.....515-223-4577
 Parish Fax.....515-223-4768
 St. Francis School515-457-7167
 Pre-School.....515-223-4577, Ext. 116
 Faith Formation Office.....515-440-1030

Parish Staff

Pastor.....Fr. Ray McHenry
 Associate Pastor.....Fr. John Brobbey
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 St. Francis School Assistant Principal...Gretchen Watznauer
 St. Francis Pre-School Director.....Heather Gunson
 Kids Care Director.....Connor Dooley
 IT Director.....Diane Nitzel
 IT Support.....Dominic Muse

Parish Representatives

Pastoral Council.....Rob Manning
 Finance Council.....Mike Brinker
 Board of Education.....Jeremy Masterson
 Faith Formation Council.....Nicole Saegh

Parish Office hours: 8 a.m.— 4:30 p.m.
 Summer hours: 8 a.m.—2:00 p.m. starting May 31

SACRAMENTS AT ST. FRANCIS

Baptism

Congratulations on preparing to be baptized into the community of the Church! Baptisms are scheduled on the 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Sundays of the month after the 11:30 a.m. Mass & the 4th Saturday of the month after the 4:30 p.m. Mass. For more info, please call the Parish Office. The next baptism class will be held on June 25th at 8:30 a.m.

Becoming Catholic

If you or someone you know is thinking about joining the Catholic Church or is inquiring about the faith, please contact the Faith Formation Office.

First Communion

First Communion was celebrated in April. For more information, please contact the Faith Formation Office.

Confirmation

Confirmation is celebrated once a year for our high school sophomore students. For more information, please contact the Faith Formation Office.

Marriage

Congratulations on your engagement! We look forward to helping you prepare for life together. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

Homebound Ministry

If you're unable to attend Mass & would like to receive communion, please email homebound@saintfrancischurch.org.

Hospital Visits

As hospital visits start to reopen during COVID-19, Fr. John will be happy to call and speak with you on the phone!

REMEMBERING OUR PARISH FAMILY

Please pray for those individuals who have passed away as well as their families.

Bill Stone, father of Chris Van Kirk

Give them eternal rest, O Lord, and let them share in your unending glory.

LIVING OUR FAITH CALENDAR

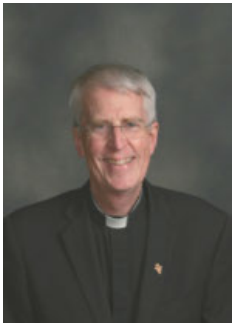
Sunday, May 22 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 Mass	Thursday, May 26 6 a.m.: Adoration/Rosary 7 a.m.: Finance Council Mtg.
Monday, May 23 6 a.m.: Adoration/Rosary 7 p.m.: Rosary	Friday, May 27 6 a.m.: Adoration/Rosary
Tuesday, May 24 6 a.m.: Adoration/Rosary 6:30 p.m.: Acts Study 7 p.m.: SFA Young Adults 8 p.m.: Men's Faith Sharing	Saturday, May 28 8 a.m.: Men's Faith Sharing 4:30 p.m.: Mass
Wednesday, May 25 6 a.m.: Adoration/Rosary 6 p.m.: 8th Grade Graduation	Sunday, May 29 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 Mass

MASS INTENTIONS

5-22	Sun.	7:30 a.m.	† Glenna Day
		9:30 a.m.	† Jordan Leon
		11:30 a.m.	For the parishioners of the parish
5-23	Mon.	7:15 a.m.	† Barbara Oehlerking
5-24	Tues.	7:15 a.m.	† James Monachino
		Noon	† Grace Tucker
5-25	Wed.	7:15 a.m.	† Mary Federhofer
		8:45 a.m.	† Judy Otis
5-26	Thur.	7:15 a.m.	† Pasquale & Saveria Bonanno
5-27	Fri.	7:15 a.m.	† Renato & Dee Cabrera Rosales
5-28	Sat.	4:30 p.m.	† John & Eleanor Dick
5-29	Sun.	7:30 a.m.	† Steve Kunz
		9:30 a.m.	For the parishioners of the parish
		11:30 a.m.	† Larry Stanfel



FROM FR. RAY



Graduation season has arrived. Many of us have started to go graduation parties. It is a time of anticipation and some anxiety for our upcoming graduates. Pope Francis offers some advice to graduates. He said, “Don’t be wimpy. Yes, you will face challenges and problems. Don’t fear the difficulties. Be prudent, be careful but don’t fear.”

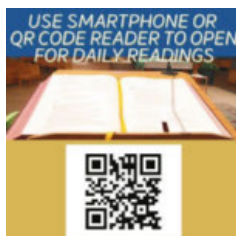
Our 67 eighth graders will graduate this Wednesday. Congratulations on their achievement here at St. Francis School. Then, school ends this Friday. I want to wish our students a safe, holy and happy summer.

By now you should have received a letter from me asking you to support the diocesan capital campaign, Ignite. This \$45,000,000 campaign will support multiple causes in the diocese including tuition assistance to Catholic schools, seminarian support and supporting retired priests. We are responsible for \$3,650,000. As of May 17 we have already raised over \$823,000. Please prayerfully consider a gift to the Ignite campaign to support our diocese.

The first reading from the 15th chapter of the Acts of the Apostles is often known as the “Council of Jerusalem.” The council met around the year 50 AD and decreed that Gentile Christians did not have to observe the Mosaic Law of the Jews. I have always found verse 28 a bit humorous as it states it was their decision as a council and the Holy Spirit’s. In my Experience, I have come to believe that if the Holy Spirit has decided something it is a good idea to go along with that decision.

“It is the decision of the Holy Spirit and of us not to place on you any burden beyond these necessities.
Acts 15:28

Fr. Ray McHenry



SENIORS COME HOME MASS



If you graduated from St. Francis School please join us Wednesday, May 25 during our Seniors Come Home School Mass at 8:45 a.m. Please meet in the Gathering Space at 8:30 a.m. We will have seating reserved for you. There will also be a small reception after Mass. **If you plan to attend, please RSVP Mrs. Timmins at:** etimmins@saintfrancisschool.org.

We look forward to welcoming you home!

EIGHT GRADE GRADUATION

Another great school year will be in the books. Join us as we congratulate the Class of 2022. We celebrated 155 High School Seniors on May 1st during a special Mass and Reception.

We will also send off the St. Francis 8th Grade class during a Graduation Mass on May 25th. Please pray that our youth can carry their faith into the next adventure.

CATHOLIC SCHOOL REGIONALIZATION

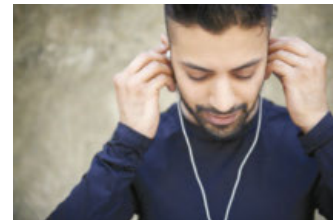
Please visit the regional planning website for a progress update on the regionalization of the 12 Catholic schools in the Des Moines area:
<https://www.dsmrcsplan.org>.

HEARING ASSISTANCE EQUIPMENT

We love being able to provide hearing assistance equipment. If you need to use them during Mass or events in the church, they are located at the Mass Coordinator Counter for check out.

If you’ve checked out equipment and have accidentally taken them home, please return them to the church.

Thank you!





Looking for help and encouragement after the death of a loved one?

GriefShare is a special weekly seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild your life after losing a loved one. Receive help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member or friend. Our group is led by caring parishioners who have experienced grief and want to help you through the difficult days ahead. We know it hurts, and we want to help.

Session Schedule:

Monday evenings | 6-8 p.m. | St. Clare Room
June 6, 13, 20, 27 | July 11, 18, 25 | August 1

Suggested donation for workbook/materials \$20

Questions? Contact us today at griefshare@saintfrancischurch.org or call the Parish Office at 515-223-4577.

WORN FLAG COLLECTION



The James G. Jordan 4th Degree Assembly of the Knights of Columbus is collecting your torn, tattered and faded U.S. flags.

A collection box will be located in the Gathering Space during the month of May.

GARDENING ANGELS

Sunday May 15 was a perfect day! We had a great crew. We put up fencing for the pole beans and then planted bean seeds. We planted about 25 tomato plants given to us by the Valley High school science department who started them from seed for a project. We also planted green pepper plants, some donated some purchased. The weeds are growing along with the onions, beets, potatoes, broccoli, cauliflower, and cabbage. So, weeding and finish planting will be on the schedule.

Weather permitting, we will meet every Sunday, 5-6 p.m. through harvest. Come join us!



The month of May is dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary and we invite you to join with parishes across the US to pray for the work of Mary's Meals.

Our mission is carried out in Our Lady's name, and as a result we continually see the providence of God in incredible ways.

We are now feeding more than two million children with life-changing meals at school in some of the world's poorest communities.



Prayers



Mary, as the Mother of Jesus, knew the joys and sorrows of motherhood. We pray for all expectant mothers, new mothers and those who would like to become mothers but are not able to. We bring before you, Lord, the mothers who are part of Mary's Meals across the globe and ask you to bless each of them as they face daily challenges to ensure their children are fed, educated and safe.



VBS Registration is open! June 20-24, 2022 9 a.m. — Noon

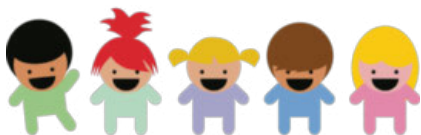
At Vacation Bible School, children will spend each morning learning the daily Bible point by singing songs, exploring a Bible story, playing games, being imaginative, and learning about their Catholic faith – all while having fun! VBS is for children 3 years old – 5th grade as of Fall 2022. Cost is \$40 per child and includes a VBS t-shirt. **Register by May 28.** To register, go to www.saintfrancischurch.org or use the QR code below.



We still need at least 1 more adult volunteer.
Please contact James Wenman, VBS Coordinator at VBS@saintfrancischurch.org if you can volunteer.

NURSERY SCHEDULE

The Nursery will be closed on Memorial Day weekend, May 28 & 29.



Have a safe and happy time with family and friends!

FAITH FORMATION HAPPENINGS

FAMILY FORMATION

If you have not done so, please pick up your May family packet by May 31. Thank you!

YOUTH MINISTRY

EDGE | 7-8th graders **FISH | 9-12th graders**

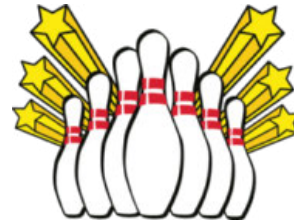
June 1 from 6—7:30 p.m. EDGE & FISH together for Relational Ministry Night w/ Food & Fellowship | Youth Room

Join Deacon Bill for Bowling at Warrior Lanes this summer.

Dates: **June 8, July 6, August 3**

Time: **6:30-8:45 pm**

Cost: \$10 for 2 games and shoe rental (\$8 if you bring your own shoes). We also have a room reserved at the bowling alley for games and social time.



SFA SCHOOL JUMPSTART PROGRAM



SFA School would like to extend an invite this summer for our students to participate in Jumpstart.

Jumpstart is a Reading, Writing and Math “review and warm up.” Jumpstart is a week-long program and will be offered August 8-12

and available on a first come first serve basis. If you are interested, please fill out the online google form by June 1, 2022. Your spot will not be held until the google form below is completed. Please mark your student’s grade for the current school year (21-22). Ex: If you have a current Kindergartener, they would enroll in Kindergarten Jumpstart.

Cost:

\$120 for M-Th for Growing Learners (NOT Friday).
\$130 for the week for Pre-K, Kindergarten, and 1st Grade.
\$190 for the week for 2nd-5th Grade.

(Prorated rates are not available. Rates are not refundable.)

Sign up at: <https://tinyurl.com/3vbt2h7p>

The deadline for completing the online goggle form is June 1, 2022. This is billed through FACTS.

LITURGICAL CORNER

Mary at Mass

Devotion to Mary remains a hallmark of the Catholic faith. Some people unfamiliar with our religion assume that prayer to Mary forms the backbone of the Mass. Wrong! Prayer to Mary is certainly the backbone of the rosary, but there isn't a single prayer addressed to Mary in the entire Mass, front to back, on any day of the liturgical year.

When it comes to prayer, we acknowledge Hebrews 7:25, which says Christ lives for ever to make intercession for us. So we direct our prayers to God through Christ.

However, because of Mary's central role in salvation history, she makes several appearances in the texts at every Mass, every day of the liturgical year.

Most important, Mary's name is pronounced right in the heart of Mass in the Eucharistic Prayer. She is called by two titles made mystic by their juxtaposition: virgin and mother. In the second Eucharistic Prayer for children, she is also called "Mother of God and our mother."

Mary also appears in the Creed, as the virgin who conceived the Word made flesh.

At times we celebrate a Mass in her honor, under a title like Mary, Mother of the Church, or to commemorate an event in her life, like the Visitation. A preface often prayed on these days echoes her song of praise, the Magnificat. But most frequently she is remembered as the Virgin Mother.

By connecting these two titles of Mary, the church invites us to reflect on her son. Mary's special role as the virgin Mother reminds us that the miraculous birth of Jesus introduced the world to an extraordinary child whose miracles would never cease.

At first, the title "Mother of God" sounds wrong. God is the uncreated creator of all. How could God have a mother? That puzzling question draws us into a deeper meditation on the identity of Jesus. Because Jesus is both fully God and fully human, Mary must be called Mother of God.

In the liturgy Mary's role always bows to her son. She gives birth to him not only in time but in the liturgy and in our hearts. During the month of May, many will address devotions to Mary, and rightly so. But she will direct them to Christ.

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS

St. Francis is always in need of liturgical ministers. If you are interested in serving as a greeter or in any other capacity please reach out to Emily Schmid at eschmid@saintfrancischurch.org or by contacting the Parish Office.

WELCOME TO ST. FRANCIS!

For information regarding Parish membership, please contact the Parish Office at 515-223-4577. Member Registration Cards may be found in the Gathering Space, Parish Office or online.

For information regarding renting a room, IRA contributions, stock donations, tithing donations, etc., please contact the following staff at 515-223-4577 and they will be more than happy to assist you.

Pam DanzerAbundant, ACH, ADA, FACTS, Tithing Donations
Monica Lihs..... IRA Contributions, Matching Gifts, Stock Donations
Debbie MuseACH, Accounts Payable
Sheila Timmerman/Sue KirkhartReserve a Meeting Room

As always, make sure to check out our website at www.saintfrancischurch.org for all the various possibilities to grow in faith as an individual and family.

SFA EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

St. Francis of Assisi Parish

- **Business Manager** - Will provide overall planning, coordination and management of financial affairs and facilities, conducted either directly or through the management/supervision of staff, contractors or volunteers. BA/BS degree with emphasis in Business Administration and Accounting required.
- **Director of Faith Formation** - Provides direction and guidance over adult, youth and children's faith formation in cooperation with pastor and advisory committees.
- **Youth Ministry Coordinator** - Provides vision and coordination for SFA's ministry to youth (7-12 grades).
- **Nursery Coordinator** - Part time position. Provides oversight for nursery needs during Masses, special events and meetings.
- **Adult Nursery Workers** - 8-10 hours monthly.

Please submit your resume and cover letter to:
Human Resources Coordinator, 7075 Ashworth Road,
West Des Moines, IA 50266 or by email to:
communications@saintfrancischurch.org

St. Francis of Assisi School

Positions for the 2022-23 school year:

K-8 STEM Teacher

K-8 Music Teacher

Kindergarten Classroom Associate

<https://www.sfawdm.org/about-us/job-opportunities/>
Contact | Jon Aldrich | jaldrich@saintfrancissschool.org

ECE Assistant Director

Assist the program director in leading, teaching staff, supporting families and achieving enrollment, accreditation and operational objectives. For more details visit: <https://www.sfawdm.org/about-us/job-opportunities/>
To apply, submit your resume to program director Heather Gunson at hgunson@saintfrancissschool.org

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Do you know that St. Francis of Assisi has an atrium to serve the spiritual formation of our youngest parishioners? Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a Montessori-based religious education movement with roots in Rome; its foundations are Scripture and Liturgy. Adults are invited to follow Jesus' invitation "to become like little children." Might He be calling you to serve His little ones? It will be a life-changing joyful journey!

Adult catechist formation for the 3-6-year old:

Present the methodology and guiding principles of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd.
Explore the religious nature and the most vital religious needs of the child.
Meditate on the Biblical and Liturgical themes presented to the child.
Broaden your ability to observe and learn from the child, to listen to the Scriptures with the child and to deepen your own enjoyment of God.

Catechist formation local opportunities:

Begins June 25-26

St. Augustin Catholic Church
545 42nd Street, Des Moines
Contact Mary Heinrich at 515-321-9440 or maryheinrich@cgsusa.org

Begins July 18-21

St. Thomas Classical Academy
4801 Franklin Avenue, Des Moines
Contact Mandie DeVries at www.cgsusa.org

For information about Catechesis of the Good Shepherd at St. Francis of Assisi Parish, visit our website or call Erica in the Faith Formation office at 515-440-1030. Visit www.cgsusa.org to learn more.

WOMEN IN GOD'S SERVICE (WINGS)

All ladies in our parish (over 21) are invited to the next WINGS meeting to be held on Tuesday, June 7, 2022 from 5:30-6:30pm in the Serra Room. WINGS is a fellowship of SFA Catholic women who "welcome and serve". Join us for appetizers, desserts, and drinks followed by a guest speaker on the first Tuesday of each month. We enjoy social time together to get to know each other better and we select service projects to support as a large group to help contribute to the needs of our parish and community. For more information email wings@saintfrancischurch.org.

IGNITE! CAMPAIGN



Ignite! is Underway

Thank you to all who have already participated in the campaign!

In the coming weeks, volunteers may be contacting some of you. If you receive a call from one of them, please take the call or return the message. They have graciously agreed to donate their time and talent to create a bright future for our parish and the Church in Southwest Iowa. Please treat them with respect, give them a little of your time, and thank them for helping in this capacity.

Many thanks for your support!

If you have questions, you can contact Fr. Ray or the Parish Office at 515-223-4577 for additional details.



Upcoming deadlines: June 15 and July 31

(new June 15 only - CTO award will be posted to your tuition account before monthly payments begin)

Completed application *includes* tax documents

www.fairapp.com

School code: 450 Password: cto450



ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

Your gift to the Annual Diocesan Appeal (ADA) makes a difference! The ADA helps us encounter Christ, shepherd the faithful, support our local communities of faith and help people in need.

Our 2022 Parish Goal is \$395,053.

To date, we have pledged or paid \$258,074 (65%).

Gifts can be made online at www.dmdiocese.org/giving/annual-diocesan-appeal. **IMPORTANT:** Be sure to select SFA as your parish.

Thank you for helping your parish reach its goal and supporting the Diocese of Des Moines!



ST. FRANCIS COMMUNICATIONS

SUBSCRIBE TO THE BULLETIN

Subscribe to receive email notifications once new bulletins become available online.

- On the homepage of our website, scroll down and click on "View Bulletins" (next to Upcoming Events).
- Once you click "View Bulletins", click on "Subscribe" for St. Francis' bulletins and enter your email address.

LIVESTREAMING MASS

Livestreaming at 9:30 a.m. Sunday Mass. (ASL interpreted.)
Go to: [Youtube.com/StFrancisofAssisiCatholicChurchWDM](https://www.youtube.com/StFrancisofAssisiCatholicChurchWDM) or [youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com) and enter SFAWDM in the search box.

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WE WANT TO SHARE YOUR NEWS

Have something you need announced in the bulletin?
Send an email to Communications@saintfrancischurch.org.

Upcoming deadlines (by 9 a.m.) are as follows:

May 29 & June 5 bulletin: May 23 (early deadline)
June 12 & 19 bulletin: June 6

***Check out the communications page on our website** for all the ways we can share your news & how to submit info.
<https://saintfrancischurch.org/our-parish/communications/>



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ABUNDANT GIVING

You can give online as another option to support all the great things happening at St. Francis!

We've now added additional categories, including School, Faith Formation, our Campus Project Wish List, Annual Diocesan Appeal, St. Mary's of Hamburg, the church in Ukraine and Grief Share.

Go to our website and click on Our Parish/Tithing & Donations or go directly to: <https://abundant.co/stfrancisofassisi/give> to see all of the ways you can support St. Francis.



THE CATHOLIC FAITH.
ON DEMAND.

These recommendations are based on the Catholic liturgical year, saints and feast days.

Program – Is Jesus Really Divine? with Julianne Miles
Movie – Paul VI: The Pope in the Tempest
Audio – Contemporary Sainthood by Mark Hart
Books – Humanae Vitae Encyclical of His Holiness Pope Paul VI
Kid's Choice -- The Messengers: The Birth of the Early Church

Details on our website by clicking on Formation/FORMED.

THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

Join us to study...

The Theology of the Body: Discovering the Master Plan for Your Life

God made us to **love people and use things**, yet Satan tries to convince us to **use people and love things**. The problem with the world today is not that the darkness is too dark, but instead the lack of light. You are a vital part of making the light brighter.

This study untwists the lies and shines merciful light on all questions regarding the body (abortion, euthanasia, same-sex relations, pornography, gender equality, contraception, divorce) using the following foundational questions:

What does it mean to be made human, male and female, in the image and likeness of God?

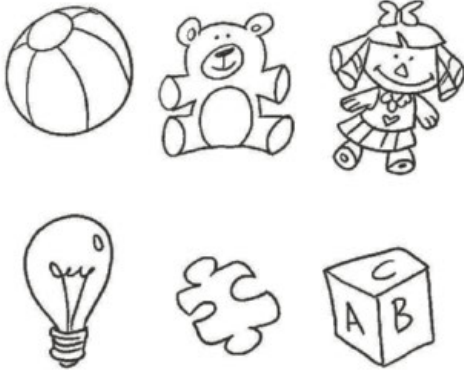
How can I live my life in a way that brings true happiness and fulfillment?

This nine-week study will begin June 1 in the Serra Room from 7-8:30PM. Cost is \$25 which will include study materials and facilitator fees.



 **PUZZLE**

Which one does not belong?



The light bulb is not a toy.

 **MISSION**

I will pick up three pieces of trash near our house today.



 **GOSPEL**

Jesus said when you love me, you will obey me. Then I will come to live in you. My Father will come to live in you, too. Look in the mirror, the twinkle in your eye and the smile on your lips shows that God is within you right now. The commandments are easier to obey when God is with you. Show God you love him by cleaning up your room.

 **PRAYER**

Lord, while you are with me I will do kind things for others.

 **COLOR**

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



 **DRAW**

Draw yourself and your sister sweeping the porch with a broom for your mother.

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Market One rooftop in the East Village. Register online at: www.dmdiocese.org/ycn

DMARC FOOD PANTRY GRAND OPENING

The DMARC Food Pantry Network has moved into its new building at 100 Army Post Road. We are having a grand opening celebration on **Thursday, May 26 from 4 to 6 p.m.** followed by our annual meeting from 6 to 7. We hope you can join us! To register to attend or for more information you can visit our website at www.dmarcunited.org/capital-campaign.

ANNUAL CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

St. Augustin invites everyone to our Annual Corpus Christi Procession on Sunday, June 5th, 2022. We will have a musical prelude in the Church at 2:30 pm, with the Corpus Christi Procession beginning at 3:00 pm. We will process to altars prepared around our neighborhood and finish back at the church close to 4:00 pm and then proceed for dinner and fellowship in the Parish Hall. Golf carts driven by the Knights will be available for those needing assistance.

All who received their 1st Communion this year are invited to come in their ceremonial clothing. Knights of Columbus are encouraged to join in full regalia.

JOB OPENINGS

Dowling Catholic High School is seeking the following full-time positions: Accounts Payable Clerk, Accounts Receivable Specialist, Admissions Coordinator. More information can be found on Dowling's website: www.dowlingcatholic.org. Applications can be submitted on Teach Iowa. Please contact Jesse Proehl, Human Resources Specialist with questions. jproehl@dowlingcatholic.org

For more job openings around the diocese, visit <https://www.dmdiocese.org/about-us/employment>

IOWA CATHOLIC RADIO GUEST

Emily Schmid, our Director of Liturgy & Music, will be the guest host on Catholic Women Now on Iowa Catholic Radio each Thursday morning from 9-9:30 a.m. during the month of May. You can listen live or check out the podcast by going to: <https://www.iowacatholicradio.com/>.



A SENSORY FRIENDLY FAMILY INCLUSION MASS

will be held at St. Ambrose Cathedral on Sunday, May 22 at 3 p.m. An ice cream social will follow Mass. All are welcome and voice noise and physical movement are welcome. For more information, please email Patty Origer at poriger@dmdiocese.org

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Monday-Friday: 7:15 a.m.
Tuesday: Noon
Saturday: 4:30 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.
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