



HOLY FAMILY OF THE BLUFFS CATHOLIC COMMUNITY MAY 3 - MAY 9

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, May 3	@ Wexford.....	8:00am
Tuesday, May 4	@ New Albin..... Howard Fitzpatrick.....	8:30am
	@ Wexford..... Purgatorial Society.....	4:00pm
Wednesday, May 5	@ Lansing..... Bob Wellendorf.....	4:00pm
Thursday, May 6	@ Lansing..... Alice Luster.....	8:00am
Friday, May 7	@ Lansing..... Ruth Rea.....	8:00am
	@ Harpers..... Joe and Alberta Troendle.....	11:00 am
Saturday, May 8	@ Harpers..... Charles Berns.....	4:00pm
	@ Wexford..... Nick Curran.....	5:30pm
Sunday, May 9	@ New Albin..... Rita Imhoff.....	8:00am
	@ Lansing..... For the People.....	10:00am

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday, 8:00 – 9:00 am @ Lansing, Saturday, 3:15 – 3:45 pm @ Harpers,
Sunday, 7:15 – 7:45 am @ New Albin
or call the office and schedule an appointment

**SAINT
JOSEPH**
New Albin

**IMMACULATE
CONCEPTION**
Lansing

**IMMACULATE
CONCEPTION**
Wexford

**SAINT ANN -
SAINT JOSEPH**
Harpers Ferry

**Stewardship -
share Jesus' love**
*"For God sent the
Son into the world,
not to condemn the
world, but that the
world might be
saved through him."*

John 3:17

Schedule of Liturgical Ministers • May 8 & 9 **Sixth Sunday of Easter**

	4:00 p.m. Harpers	8:30 a.m. Wexford	8:00 a.m. New Albin	10:00 a.m. Lansing
Lector	Patti Hastings	Mikayla Gavin	Julie Rethwisch	Seniors
EMHC	<i>None at this time</i>	Pat Delaney	Tom Walleser	Kay Mettille
Altar Servers	<i>None at this time</i>	<i>None at this time</i>	<i>None at this time</i>	<i>None at this time</i>
Ushers	<i>None at this time</i>	<i>None at this time</i>	<i>None at this time</i>	<i>None at this time</i>
Giftbearers	<i>None at this time</i>	<i>None at this time</i>	<i>None at this time</i>	<i>None at this time</i>
Rosary				Ken Steiber
Sacristan				Patty Mohn
Greeters	<i>None at this time</i>	<i>None at this time</i>	<i>None at this time</i>	<i>None at this time</i>
Communion to the Homebound [Lansing]	- Pat Wellendorf, Lynn O'Hara			

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— and —
"Father Sean Smith"

From the Desk of Father Smith



We are deep into the Easter season now, with this being the 5th Sunday of Easter. The question is, is Easter deep into us? Is the reality of the resurrection of Jesus something that is at the center of our lives? Our Gospel today talks about Jesus being the vine, and we the branches, and that the only way we can bear fruit is in remaining connected to the vine (Jesus). One of the clearest ways that we can remain connected is by participating in the worshiping community on Sundays and receiving the Body and Blood of Christ in the Eucharist! If you've been away, now is a great time to return to Mass!

Special thank you to Archbishop Jackels for joining us in Lansing this weekend to celebrate the 70th ordination anniversary for Msgr. Ed Lechtenberg, and for our 2021 Confirmation class!

Confirmation

This weekend we celebrate with joy the young people that will be receiving the fullness of Christian initiation through the Sacrament of Confirmation! We pray with them and for them, that this fresh outpouring of the Holy Spirit will set their hearts and minds and souls on fire for God! Welcome these young people and their families:

Brooklyn Bakewell	Jeannie Clemments	Monica Davis	Elizabeth Fossum
Thomas Fossum	Cota Gavin	Cade Kelly	Nathan O'Neill
Neva Peterson	Cael Rethwisch	Jacob Rolfs	Thomas Troendle
Allison Wagner	Jaylyn Walleser	Avery Zahn	

Pastoral Council Nominations

Next week there will be an opportunity to nominate individuals to serve on the respective Pastoral Councils for our parishes. Here is a reminder to those that may put forward names, or have their name put forward: the Council's responsibility is *not* to be the "designated doers" for the parish, meaning that being on the Council does not mean being on the hook to do everything around the parish for the year. It is primarily about providing counsel to the Pastor about the needs to the parish, and a place for the Pastor and the Council to cultivate the vision and mission of the parish. Please be generous if you are asked to allow your name to be put on the ballot for the Council.

††† *Eternal Rest* †††

Virginia Wagner, previous parishioner, and Verna Massman, parishioner of St. Joseph New Albin, recently passed away. We pray for the repose of their souls and the peace and comfort of the Holy Spirit for their family and friends.

Eternal rest, grant unto them, O LORD, ***And let perpetual light shine upon them.***

May they rest in peace. ***Amen.***

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. ***Amen.***

Word(s) Of the Week

Latin	English
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.	Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.	Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona nobis pacem.	Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

Weekend Mass Schedule

May 1 & 2				May 8 & 9			
4:00 pm	Harpers	8:00 am	New Albin	4:00 pm	Harpers	8:00 am	New Albin
5:30 pm	Wexford	10:00 am	Lansing			8:30 am	Wexford
						10:00 am	Lansing

Meetings & Happenings in "HFB"

- **Monday, May 3, is the 70th anniversary of Msgr. Ed's ordination to the priesthood!**
- **May 7: First Friday.** Please join us for Mass at 8:00 am at IC - Lansing. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Adoration follows mass at 8:30 am with Benediction at 9:15 am.

Daily Mass readings (May 2 - May 9)

To subscribe to receiving daily readings by email every morning visit:

<https://bible.usccb.org/>

This Sunday, May 2: Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:26-31/Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32 [26a]/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8

Monday, May 3: Sts. Phillip and James, Apostles

1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Jn 14:6-14

Tuesday, May 4:

Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21 [cf. 12]/Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday, May 5: Cinco de Mayo

Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [cf. 1]/Jn 15:1-8

Thursday, May 6: National Day of Prayer

Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10 [3]/Jn 15:9-11

Friday, May 7:

Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12 [10a]/Jn 15:12-17

Saturday, May 8:

Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21

Next Sunday, May 9: Sixth Sunday of Easter; Mother's Day

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 [cf. 2b]/1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

Thank You Letter from Catholic Charities

"Loving God by loving our neighbor is practiced by helping people who can't protect themselves...or provide for themselves, such as the poor." - *Archbishop Michael Jackels*

Your gift to Catholic Charities has demonstrated your love of God and neighbor. Thanks to you, Catholic Charities has been able to achieve our mission of reducing poverty, strengthening families and empowering communities since 1931. Thank you for making it possible to celebrate 90 years of service to the poor and vulnerable in the Archdiocese of Dubuque.

Your willingness to partner with Catholic Charities makes it possible to provide help and create hope for individuals and families who are struggling. The pandemic, derecho, and the accompanying economic impact continue to challenge so many. Your support will help provide a place for those impacted to turn to and find the help they need and the hope they desire. You have given substance to what the Archbishop has challenged you to do.

On behalf of the thousands who will be served as a result of your generosity, thank you and God bless.

"Stewardship" Report for April 24 & 25

New Albin

Adults	\$86.00
Offertory	\$43.00
Candles	\$9.00

Harpers Ferry

Adults	\$555.00
Offertory	\$36.00
Easter	\$100.00

Lansing

Adults	\$877.00
Offertory	\$56.00

Wexford

Adults	\$594.00
Children	\$3.00
Offertory	\$13.00
Unrestricted donation	\$500.00

Senior Masses

Congratulations Seniors! Our Senior students will be recognized at the following masses in May at all four parishes:

Sunday, May 9: New Albin and Lansing

Saturday, May 15: Harpers and Wexford



College Graduates

If you have a son or daughter graduating from college this Spring and would like them recognized at a mass with the senior class, please email Mandy by Sunday, May 2: dbq216ym@dbqarch.org




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