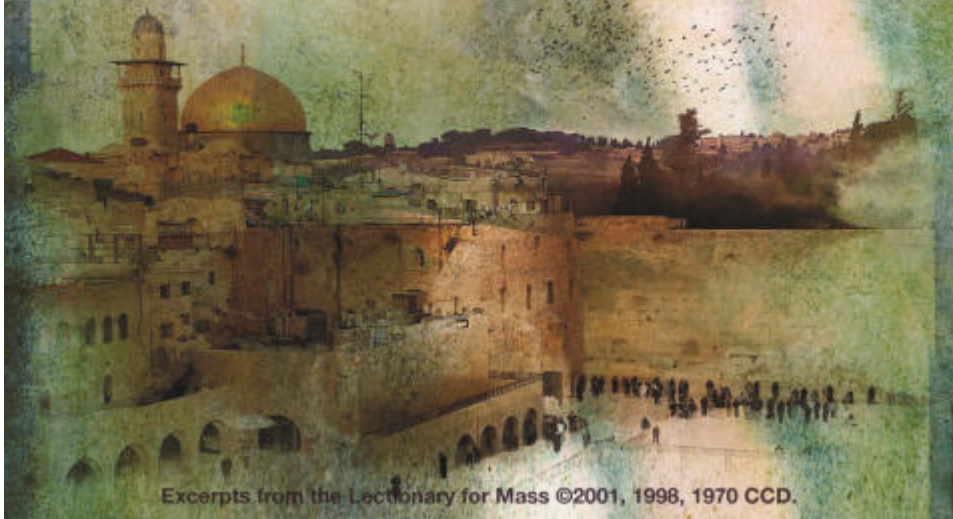


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"Whatever town  
you enter and  
they welcome  
you, eat what is  
set before you, cure  
the sick in it and  
say to them, 'The  
kingdom of God  
is at hand for  
you.'" - Lk 10:8-9



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276-4042 (office)  
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491-7789

#### **MASS SCHEDULE**

**Saturday:** 5:00 pm

**Sunday:** 9:00 am and 11:00 am

**Weekdays:** Tuesday 8:00 am  
Wednesday 6:45 am  
Thursday 6:45 am  
Friday 8:00 am

**Holy Days of Obligation:**  
varies

**Sacrament of Penance:**  
Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm or by request

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At least six months notice, call 276-4042

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July 7, 2019 · Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"A first class mistake is to treat anyone as a second-class person."

### St. Mary's 2019 Church Auction: Iowa State Fair Basket July Raffle!

Don't wait until fall to get excited for **Auction Tour 2019: Don't Stop the Bidding!** Congratulations to Heather Tischer, winner of the June Adventureland Fun basket.

On July 6, we will begin selling tickets for a deluxe **Iowa State Fair basket** that includes:

- 10 state fair admission tickets
- \$100 in state fair bucks
- Vouchers for 4 Iowa Chop dinners from the Iowa Pork Producers Association tent, 4 Pork Chops on a stick, plus more
- Assorted Iowa State Fair swag!

Buy your \$5 tickets to win this amazing basket, valued at over \$300, after all July weekend Masses. Father Greg will draw the winner's name on July 29th.

**Save the Auction Date:** Saturday, September 28

**Donations?** Contact Mary Eikenberry @ 238-5225

**Raffle and Auction Ticket** sales begin on August 24.

### Vino and Vespers



Join us on Tuesday, July 9 at 6:30 p.m. on the patio. (If the weather does not cooperate, we will be in the Fireplace Room).

We will learn about and pray Vespers (Evening Prayer) from The Liturgy of the Hours. No experience necessary to pray. Then we'll stay for casual conversation, wine (feel free to bring your beverage of choice if you prefer something else) and snacks. All adults are invited to this fun and relaxed summer evening get together!

Happenings this summer....

#### Iowa Cubs Game

July 26<sup>th</sup> Iowa Cubs V Memphis Sounds  
Reserved Grandstand Seats \$9.00  
Purchase tickets from the Men's Cub

#### St. Mary's Annual Golf Event

August 3<sup>rd</sup> 4-person Best Shot  
Otter Creek Golf Course in Ankeny  
All are welcome - Friends, Family, Young and Old  
Golf - Lunch - Prizes \$60 entry fee

## YOUTH NEWS



No Youth Group this week due to the mission trip. Please pray for all those traveling on the trip!

<http://stmaryofnazarethlifeteen.weebly.com>

### Diocesan Coordinator, Disability Ministry

The Diocese of Des Moines is seeking a part time person (60 – 80 hours per month) who is passionate about serving members of our community with disabilities to implement the Disability Ministry plan. This position provides services for persons with disabilities in order to ensure their full and meaningful participation in the faith community. For more information, please go to our website:

<https://www.dmdiocese.org/about-us/employment/diocesan-openings>

### Alzheimer's

Communication is more than just talking and listening - it's also about sending and receiving messages through attitude, tone of voice, and body language. As the disease progresses, individuals living with Alzheimer's or other dementias lose the ability to use words, but families can find new ways to connect. Join us to explore how communication changes when someone is living with Alzheimer's, learn to interpret verbal and behavioral communication, and identify strategies to help you connect and communicate at each stage of the disease.

The program will be held at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in the St. Clare Room from 4:30-6 pm on Tuesday, July 23rd. Call Diane Carlson at 515-371-3370 to learn more or to RSVP. Walk-ins welcome.

### Man-Up West Power Lunch, noon, Friday, July 12th

Monsignor Larry Beeson will moderate a panel discussion with 3 Catholic men who turned away from the Church but later returned. John O'Connor from St. Joseph's Parish, Dave Freese from St. Francis of Assisi, and Paul Conner from Sacred Heart will share their inspiring stories. Noon lunch from Chick-fil-A. St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, 7075 Ashworth Rd, West Des Moines. Register for this event at <https://www.iowacatholicradio.com/events>.

### Long Term Substitute Teacher

St. Pius X Catholic School is seeking a long term substitute teacher for a four year old preschool class. Work begins August 26 and includes some collaboration time with the permanent preschool teacher. Substitute teacher must hold valid Iowa teaching or substitute teaching license. Send cover letter and resume to Principal Mary Jo Kever at [mkever@stpiusxschool.org](mailto:mkever@stpiusxschool.org) to begin application process.

### Fr. Chris Hartshorn

Fr. Chris Hartshorn's 25 year ordination celebration will be *Saturday, July 27 4:00pm Mass/5:00pm festivities* Food, beverages, music, and fun!! Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 1627 Grand Avenue in West Des Moines. Please join us to congratulate Fr. Chris!



**KNOWING & GROWING OUR FAITH**

**The Eucharist – What’s In It for Me?**



When I go up to receive the Eucharist I am given a host and a sip of wine. Most of our non-Catholic sisters and brothers believe that’s all there is to it – a piece of bread and a taste of wine – symbols of Jesus. We Catholics believe, as the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) tells us, that “the body and blood, together with the soul and divinity... the whole Christ, is truly, really, and substantially contained” in the Eucharist. A true change takes place. It only appears to be bread and wine.

Wow!! Think about that this week. Do you really believe this? If not, the next 3 weeks are intended, with the grace of God, to help you come to faith. If you do believe in the Real Presence of Jesus, ask yourself if your heart and mind are properly focused as you go forward to receive the Eucharist?

Next week: *The Eucharist – Where Is That In Bible?*

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Sunday, July 7**

- Coffee & Donuts 10:00am
- Men’s Bible Study 2:30pm

**Monday, July 8**

- Stephen Ministers 6:30pm

**Tuesday, July 9**

- Sewing 9:30am
- Vino & Vespers 6:30pm

**Thursday, July 11**

- Piecemakers 4:00pm
- Pastoral Council 7:00pm

**PASTORAL CARE**

If you or a family member is in a care facility, homebound, or hospitalized and wish a visit or are in need of a meal, please contact Deacon Tom at 515-491-7789.

**NEW TO THE PARISH?**

Welcome!! Please fill out a registration form found in the white baskets as you enter the church or by downloading the form from our website. Once you have completed the form, return by mail or drop in the collection basket.

**ST. MARY OF NAZARETH COLLECTION**

May 2019

	Actual	Last Year
Tithing Envelopes	\$31,149.24	\$29,524.26
On-Line Giving	\$10,448.00	\$9,345.00
Automatic Deposit	\$2,925.00	\$2,900.00
Monthly Total	\$44,522.24	\$41,769.26
Year-to-date	\$522,393.43	\$556,095.73
Plate	\$1,381.96	
Building Fund	\$1,137.00	

**MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS**



**Sunday, July 7**

- 9:00am Teresa Heger
- 11:00am For the Parish

**Tuesday, July 9**

- 8:00am Peter Bolokor

**Wednesday, July 10**

- 6:45am Delbert & Lillian Bauer

**Thursday, July 11**

- 6:45am Darlene Sassatelli

**Friday, July 12**

- 8:00am Jerry Weber

**Saturday, July 13**

- 5:00pm Marty Boeckholt

**Sunday, July 14**

- 9:00am For the Parish
- 11:00am Sean Halverson

**PARISH STAFF**

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- Tessa Roberts, *Adult Faith Formation*.....276-4042
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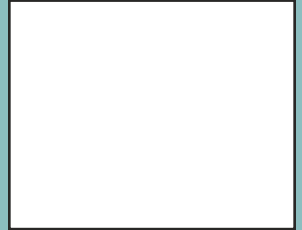
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