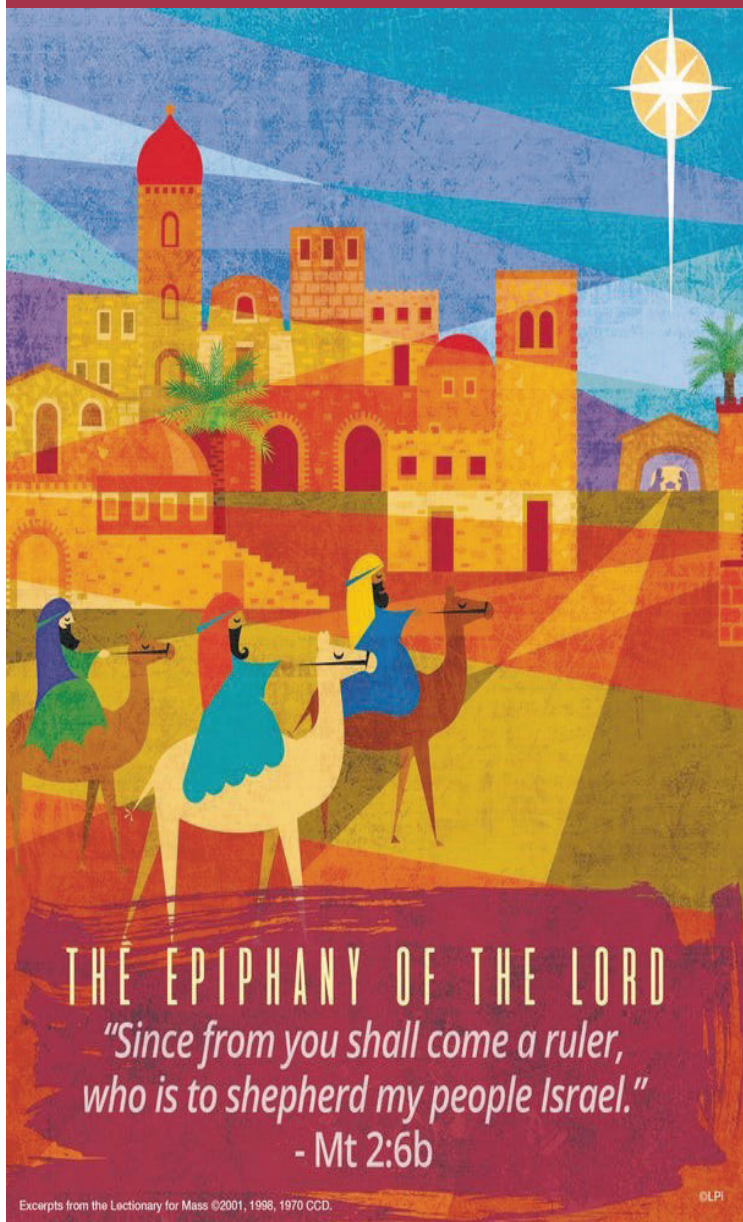


January 2, 2022

Highway 60 Catholic Cluster



Together we share our talents and resources to foster unity among ourselves and one another as we strive to live a life of Christian service with Christ as our example and the Holy Spirit as our guide.

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday: Ashton, 4:30 p.m.
Sunday: Sheldon, 8:30 a.m. (English) and
12:30 p.m. (Español), Sibley, 10:30 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

By appointment only

Baptism

Please contact the parish office for more information about baptismal preparation and scheduling your baptismal ceremony.

Holy Matrimony

Please contact the parish office six months prior to the anticipated wedding date.

Adoration

Sibley: Each Tuesday before evening Mass
4:30—5:30 p.m.

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Father Siby Punnoose, Pastor



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St. Patrick, St. Mary and St. Andrew

Cluster Connection ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM AROUND THE CLUSTER

St. Patrick's School News

Friday Mass - Grade 4 will be doing the ministries for Mass at 8:45 am
St. Patrick School
resumes classes on January 3rd.



Thank you to all who used our School SCRIP program to do their Christmas shopping!



St. Patrick Religious Education resumes Wednesday classes on January 5th.

Please join us on Sunday, January 16, 2022 for St Andrew's Parish Chili Cook off/feed. Judging will begin following 10:30 am Mass. Everyone is welcome to come vote for your favorite chili.



Registration is \$20 prior to Jan 9 & \$25 day of cook off.
Prizes are: 1st \$75; 2nd \$50; 3rd \$25

All other proceeds will be donated to the St Andrews youth group. Contact the Office (712) 754-2739, or Wendy Marco (712-461-2458) to register.

Soup (chili and/or chicken noodle) will be served for attendees for a free will donation, also in support of the youth.

We hope to see you there!



The Parishioners of St. Andrew would like to offer their sympathy to the family of Nancy Nasers on the loss of her Mother, Wilma Gray who passed on December 16.



The Highway 60 Catholic Cluster Parishioners, family and friends, would like to thank everyone that helped to make our Christmas Eve and Christmas Day Masses so beautiful. Thank you to those that helped with the liturgies. Thank you to the choirs and organists. The music is extra beautiful at this time of the year. A big thank you to everyone that took the time to decorate our churches. There were so many compliments received on the beauty of our churches. Thank you to Fr. Siby for offering all of the different Masses this weekend. And—thank you to everyone that participated in our Christmas Eve and Christmas Day Masses.



Sheldon Knights of Columbus

The Knights will be hosting their Annual Stag/Membership Night meeting on January 3 in the St Patrick's Church basement. A meal will be served at 6:00 pm with a brief meeting to follow.

The Knights will be serving a breakfast in the church basement following the January 9, 8:30 am Mass. Proceeds will go for Sheldon Knights of Columbus Youth Projects.

Ashton Knights of Columbus CORRECTION

The Ashton Knights of Columbus will have their Stag Party at Charlies in Ashton. 6 p.m. Social and 7 p.m. Meal.





100 Day Raffle Results
Sheldon Knights of Columbus

Drawing #	Date	Prize	Winner	From
84	12/13/21	50	Julie Weppler	Sheldon ,Iowa
85	12/14/21	50	Neal Jones	Sheldon ,Iowa
86	12/15/21	50	Andy Shea	Sheldon ,Iowa
87	12/16/21	50	Scott Ney	Sheldon ,Iowa
88	12/17/21	50	Brian Sauer	Hospers ,Iowa
89	12/18/21	200	Randy Kohn	Sheldon ,Iowa

Raffle Proceeds to benefit Sheldon St. Patrick's School general fund.

Drawing Ends December 31, 2021.

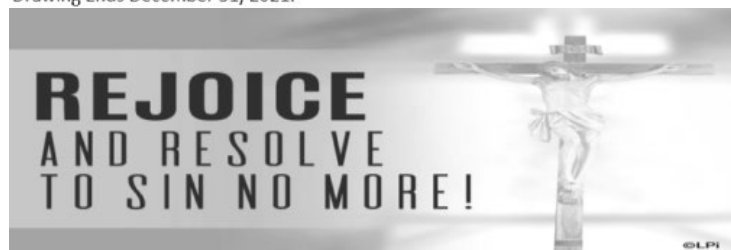


100 Day Raffle Results
Sheldon Knights of Columbus

Drawing #	Date	Prize	Winner	From
90	12/20/21	50	Mary Ruyter	Sheldon ,Iowa
91	12/21/21	50	Vince Hatting	Sheldon ,Iowa
92	12/22/21	50	Steve Krogman	Hospers ,Iowa
93	12/23/21	50	Laura Wagner	Sheldon ,Iowa
94	12/24/21	50	Brian Vollink	Archer ,Iowa
95	12/25/21	200	Lyle Huff	Ashton ,Iowa

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Drawing Ends December 31, 2021.



Weekly Giving

**St. Patrick,
December 19**

Adult	\$4,904.00
Youth	\$ 5.00
Spanish	\$ 262.00
Loose	\$ 111.85
Cemetery	\$ 50.00
Online Giving	\$ 350.00
Holy Days	\$ 65.00
Altar Flowers	\$ 58.00
Religious Ed	\$ 20.00
Total	\$5,825.85
Catholic Charities	\$ 800.00

Year to Date Income:

2021	\$263,277.30
2020	\$246,401.60
2019	\$315,343.69

TAO Goal	\$15,427.00
Pledged	\$14,365.00
Received	\$13,215.00

**St. Andrew and St. Mary
December 19**

Christmas & Dec 26 TBA

Adult	\$2,257.00
Children	\$ 66.00
Sibley Loose	\$ 117.50
Ashton Loose	\$ 94.00
Youth Camp	\$ 55.00
Cemetery	\$ 50.00
Christmas Flowers	\$ 30.00
Catholic Charities	\$
Christmas	\$ 60.00
Solm of Mary	\$ 45.00
Building Fund	\$ 110.00

**Building Fund Drive Goal
\$75,000**

Received \$50,457.62

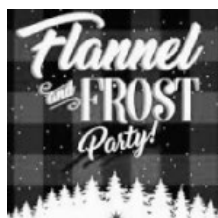
TAO Goal	\$19,000.00
Pledged	\$11,529.00
Received	\$ 9,679.00

St. Mary CDofA meeting on
Monday, January 3 at 7 p.m.
in the meeting room of
St. Mary rectory.



St. Patrick 6th Grade Catechist needed in January

- We will need a new 6th grade Catechist starting January 19th. This is a class of 3 youth, so a great way to get your feet wet if you are new to teaching! Call Paulette to volunteer asap at #712 -348-3132 !



Attention Winter Flannel & Frost Fun Party

All Ladies of St. Andrew and St. Mary Parish are invited on Sunday, January 9, 2022 right after 10:30 mass. Please make your reservation by Friday, December 31, 2021 to Betty Wessels 712-754-3796. We look forward to having you join us. Snow date will be on Monday, January 10, 2022 at 6:00 pm.

Weekly Giving

**St. Patrick,
Christmas**

Adult	\$3,780.00
Youth	\$ 0
Spanish	\$ 230.00
Loose	\$ 290.00
Cemetery	\$ 150.00
Online Giving	\$ 0
Holy Days	\$1,175.00
Altar Flowers	\$
Religious Ed	\$
Total	\$5,625.00
Catholic Char.	\$ 295.00

**St. Patrick
December 26**

Adult	\$3,146.00
Youth	\$ 0
Spanish	\$ 256.00
Loose	\$ 117.00
Cemetery	\$ 0
Online Giving	\$ 0
Holy Days	\$ 360.00
Altar Flowers	\$
Religious Ed	\$ 5
Total	\$3,884.00
Catholic Char.	\$ 25.00

Year to Date Income:

2021	\$272,641.30
2020	\$269,789.60
2019	\$322,217.74

TAO Goal	\$15,427.00
Pledged	\$14,365.00
Received	\$13,215.00

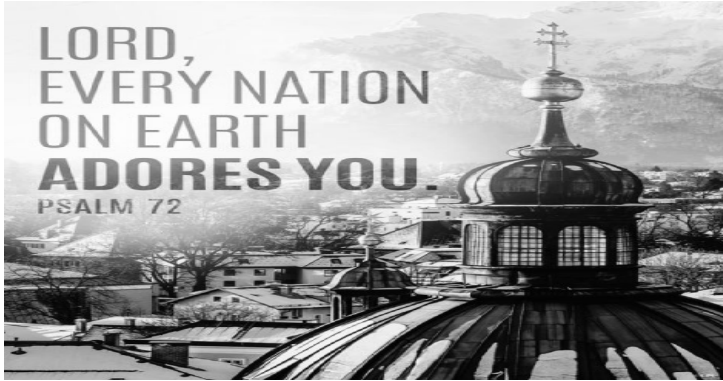




One for Every Room

One Sunday our priest announced he was passing out miniature crosses made of palm leaves. "Put this cross in the room where your family argues most," he advised. "When you look at it, the cross will remind you that God is watching."

As I was leaving church, the woman in front of me walked up to the priest, shook his hand, and said, "I'll take five."



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

FROM
Denise Christensen
Lois Fleming

Jane Feller
Betty Wessels & Family
Donna Hatting
Nancy Bruns
Anonymous
Julie Eddy

Bea Platt
Roede

Doug & Carole Hensch
Kathy Ver Steeg
Jerri Palsrok

Harold & Cathryn Curtis

Christ Funk

Gerri & James Konz

IN MEMORY OF
Ronald Gacke
Michael K. Fleming
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Tom & Veronica Lawse
Daniel Wessels
Donald & Elizabeth Hatting

Robert & Patricia Heiliger
The Unborn
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Al & Clara Platt
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Darla Jacobson
Neva & Joseph Lewis
John Palsrok
Lincoln Gravel
Hilda Majerus
John Majerus
Mary Maerus
Bill & Olive Freking
Lloyd & Arlene Hintze
Joyce & Ernie Paulsen
Mr. & Mrs. Magme Konz
Martin & Delores Schwarz
Vern Rozeboom
Dan Schwarz

St. Andrew
Religious Education Classes
will resume on January 5th.



Christmas
Break

CLUSTER EVENTS

Ashton = St. Mary Sibley = St. Andrew
Sheldon = St. Patrick School = St. Patrick School

Sunday, January 2

- Sheldon—after Mass—Scrip is sold
- Sibley—10 a.m. Rosary, Church

Monday, January 3

- Sheldon—6:00 p.m. KC Annual Stag Night
- Ashton—7:00 p.m. CDofA meeting

Tuesday, January 4

- Sibley—9 a.m. Rosary

Wednesday, January 5

- Sheldon—5:45 p.m. St. Pat Religious Ed classes for grades 1-7
- Sibley—6 p.m. St. Andrew Religious Ed Classes
- Sheldon—7 p.m. St. Pat Religious Ed classes for grades 8-9

Friday, January 7

- Ashton—9 a.m. Prayer Gathering

Sunday, January 9

- Sheldon—after Mass—Scrip is sold
- Sibley—10 a.m. Rosary, Church
- Sibley—after Mass—CDofA Winter Party



Weekly Readings

- Sunday:** Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf.11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12
- Monday:** 1 Jn 3:22—4:6/Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a/Mt 4:12-17, 23-25
- Tuesday:** 1 Jn 4:7-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4, 7-8/Mk 6:34-44
- Wednesday:** 1 Jn 4:11-18/Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13/Mk 6:45-52
- Thursday:** 1 Jn 4:19—5:4/Ps 72:1-2, 14 and 15bc, 17/Lk 4:14-22a
- Friday:** 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Lk 5:12-16
- Saturday:** 1 Jn 5:14-21/Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a and 9b/Jn 3:22-30
- Sunday:** Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 [1]/Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Liturgical Assignments

Saturday, Jan. 8, 4:30 p.m.—Ashton

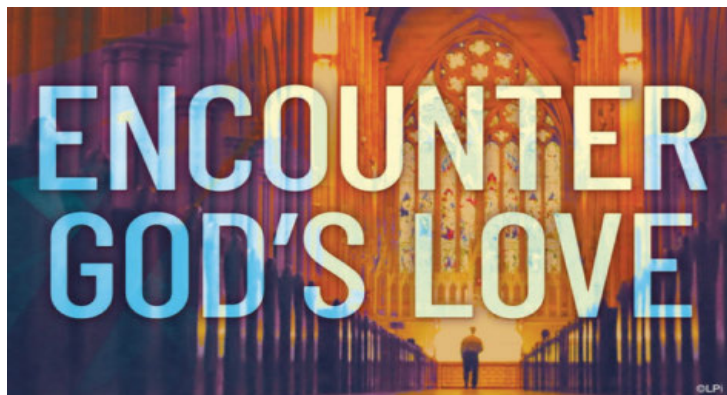
Lector Sherry Nilles
EME Kris Schoo, Barb Tremmel
Servers Hailey Gacke, Stan Krogman
Greeters/Gifts Wayne & Jeanne Krogman
Ushers Merlyn Johnson, Wayne Krogman, Leon Marnach, Loren Marnach

Sunday, Jan. 9, 8:30 a.m.—Sheldon

Communion Tim Dagel, Marica Feldman, Carla Miller
Lector Ron Plum
Cantor Claire Krogman
Servers Emma & Nora Bunkers
Gifts Tim Paulsen Family
Ushers Paul Nilles, John Bunkers, Kevin Miller, Chris Nuckols, Doug Nilles
Organist Laura Wagner
Children's Lit Martha Krogman, Eva & Jack Krogman

Sunday, Jan. 9, 10:30 a.m.—Sibley

EME Jeanette Hiemstra
Lector Garrett Atherton
Servers Makinley Nunes, Cody Rud
Gifts Greg Atherton Family
Ushers Pat & Julie Eddy, Wayne & Deb Poss
Sacristan Rob & Jan Walton
Children's Lit Madison Marco
NH Communion
Home/HWH Communion Leta Fransen



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Please consider giving to Together As One. We still have not met our parish goals. If we go above our goal, the parish will receive money back from the Diocese.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, January 1

4:30 p.m. Ashton Earl & Beverly Klosterman

Sunday, January 2

8:30 a.m. Sheldon Al & Marjorie Roder
 10:30 a.m. Sibley Helen Heiman
 12:30 p.m. Sheldon (Español) Parishes of the Cluster

Monday, January 3—NO MASS

Tuesday, January 4—NO MASS

Wednesday, January 5

8 a.m. Ashton Michelle Borowitz

Thursday, January 6

8 a.m. Sibley Michelle Borowitz

Friday, January 7

8:45 a.m. Sheldon Steve Schwebach

Saturday, January 8

4:30 p.m. Ashton Gerry Roetzel, David Roetzel and Nancy Roetzel

Sunday, January 9

8:30 a.m. Sheldon Mike Ney
 10:30 a.m. Sibley Jack Kellen
 12:30 p.m. Sheldon (Español) Parishes of the Cluster





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